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LIFE SENTENCE IMPOSED UPON FRANKS SLAYERS

FLYERS STAY IN WASHINGTON DEFENSE DAY 99 YEAR SENTENCE ALSO IMPOSED FOR KIDNAPPING PLEA

CHINESE POSTHONOR WAR ON ACCOUNT OF BIG RAIN

(By United Press)
SHANGHAI, Sept. 10.—Two thousand international troops stood guard along the boundary of the foreign settlement here while the armies of the rival Chinese war lords rested on their arms on rain soaked battlefields awaiting better weather for the resumption of hostilities. Marines have taken every precaution against emergencies resulting from the fighting.

DAVIS FINISHES DENVER SPEECH AT SECLUDED PARK

By FRASER EDWARDS.
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
ESTES PARK, Colo., Sept. 10.—With but one more day to remain in this quiet mountain resort retreat before starting out on the second lap of his strenuous western tour, John W. Davis, Democratic presidential candidate intended to make the most of his opportunities for recreation as well as for a little campaigning.

Davis today virtually completed the draft of his Denver speech which he will deliver from notes instead of a prepared manuscript.

The business end of his visit here having been fulfilled, the Democratic standard bearer was scheduled to play a round of golf this morning with J. M. "Bill" Nye, his personal secretary, over rocky course where every hazard is a little mountain.

In the afternoon Davis hopes to get in a horseback ride to get "close up" of the park's scenery. After his ride, Davis has promised to make a speech to the residents of the summer colony here.

Davis will remain in Denver until Friday, going to Cheyenne for a speech Friday night. Sunday he will make an address at Topeka, Kansas. He will open the Missouri Democratic campaign with a speech at Bunceon Sept. 15. After speaking in Des Moines the night of September 17, Davis will leave for Chicago where he speaks September 18. Arrangements have been made for him to speak at Gary, South Bend and Fort Wayne, Ind on his trip back to New York.

Georgians Are Having Battle At The Polls

(By United Press)
ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 10.—The Ku Klux Klan figured prominently in Georgia's primaries today with former Governor Thomas W. Hardwick opposing Senator William G. Harris for the Democratic Senatorial nomination.

Although Senator Harris denied he was affiliated with the secret order, Hardwick in his campaign made the Klan the chief issue, declaring repeatedly his opponent was backed by the "invisible government."

Beyond denying membership in the Klan, Senator Harris ignored the issue and appealed for renomination solely on the strength of his record in the Senate.

Governor Clifford Walker and other leading state officials were unopposed for renomination.

Blease is Winner In South Carolina

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 10.—Former Governor Cole L. Blease will succeed United States Senator Nathaniel Dial on the strength of virtually complete returns today from South Carolina's Democratic primary.

Blease defeated Congressman James F. Byrnes in Tuesday's runoff balloting for the Democratic senatorial nomination by approximately 2,500 votes. Senator Dial had been eliminated in a previous primary.

Blease was governor of South Carolina in 1911-15 and had been an unsuccessful candidate for senator in two previous primaries.

HOP TO DAYTON IS POSTPONED UNTIL THE 13TH

(By United Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The round the world flyers hop to Dayton, O. scheduled for tomorrow was ordered deferred until Saturday by Secretary of War Weeks to enable the airmen to participate in the Defense Day.

The round-the-world flyers enjoyed a luxurious day of rest here today. The ship of the Norse pilot, forced down in a Maryland field within sight of the capitol dome yesterday by striped timing gears, was to be brought to Bolling field today.

A new engine was sent over to Lieutenant John Harding Jr., Nelson's mechanic, and it will be installed in time to bring the ship here for an early hop off Saturday.

Heads I Win, Tails You Lose Decides Bid For Material

(By United Press)
PORT ARTHUR, Sept. 10.—A half dollar, used in the old, old, game of "heads I win, tails you lose" won a goodly number of dollars for the Port Arthur Building Material Company and lost an equal sum for a competitor.

The two concerns were bidding to supply the city commission with cement, sand and gravel. The bids were identical.

Mayor Logan of Port Arthur looked at the bids. He suggested flipping a quarter. A newspaper reporter went him one better by producing half. "Hizzoner" selected heads. The silver spun in the air and fell on the table. It was "tails." The mayor had lost.

THE WEATHER.

Texas—generally fair and cooler.

SOUTH AMERICAN OIL MEN TO BE EXPOSITION VISITORS

TULSA, Okla., Sept. 10.—The most distinguished men in the oil industry of South America, Europe and Asia will assemble in Tulsa during the International Petroleum Exposition, October 2 to 11.

Among the most celebrated European leaders are A. Serebrovsky, president of the Russian Oil Trust; Paul Ehrhardt and Andre Pellissier, of the Pechelbrunn Societe, the biggest company in France; Alfred Wirth, leading German manufacturer of oil supplies; F. B. Plummer, of the Institution of Petroleum Technologists, England; officers of the Compagnia Nazionale Prodotti Petrolia, Italy; representatives of two other large German manufacturers.

The Egyptian oil interests will be represented by three of its distinguished leaders, Abd-Elleff, El Di-frouri, Mahmoudoff, Abu Yied, and El Hanouff. El Said Fahmy, South America will send an imposing delegation of oil men and diplomatic attaches, and a large number of other Europeans will accompany the leaders.

Just Must See Her Honeypalulapa

EL PASO, Sept. 10.—Police have shattered another budding romance, and perhaps made another girl a bit wiser in the ways of the world.

Miss Vera Baker, 19, of Abilene "borrowed" a car and drove to El Paso to visit her sweetheart. She took Alma Shepard, 13, along to "look him over." Police found them in a big car munching sandwiches supplied by two youths who they had given a lift into El Paso.

Sheriff J. T. Beard of Abilene, chauffeur them home even before Miss Baker was able to see her sweetheart.

SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT.



Richard Loeb (above) and Nathan Leopold, convicted and sentenced to 99 years in the penitentiary by Justice John Caverly for the murder of Robert Franks.

World News In Tabloid

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 10.—Governor Neff declared upon his return from Huntsville that the dismissal of State Penitentiary Warden Miller was "done entirely by the Pardon Commission without suggestions from him or his previous knowledge."

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Further postponement on account of wet grounds of the first international polo match between the United States and England was announced. The match is now scheduled for Saturday afternoon.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 10.—Joseph Kinsdale, for twelve years United States Senator from Louisiana was renominated for the post over Mayor Lee Thomas of Shreveport in yesterday's primary. Incomplete returns indicate a majority of fifteen or twenty thousand.

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 10.—Declaring that he didn't want to "inject himself into that row," J. D. Adams, newly elected democratic national committeeman for Texas, said he would take no action to force the resignation of Mrs. J. T. Bloodworth of Fort Worth, who was asked by the state democratic convention to resign as national committeewoman.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 10.—Former Governor Cole Blease will succeed United States Senator Nathaniel Dial on the strength of virtually complete returns in yesterday's primary. Blease was candidate for senator unsuccessfully in two previous elections.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—General Chang Tso Lin, Manchurian dictator, has started mobilization of his military forces, according to an exchange telegraph dispatch from Mukden.

99 YEAR SENTENCE ALSO IMPOSED FOR KIDNAPPING PLEA

(By United Press)
CRIMINAL COURT ROOM, Chicago, September 10.—The Leopold-Loeb murder drama concluded with startling suddenness within the space of fifteen minutes, Wednesday morning, when Justice Caverly sentenced the millionaire youths to life imprisonment for murder and ninety-nine years for kidnapping for ransom their victim Robert Franks.

The sentence constituted a complete victory for the defense whose sole fear was death sentence.

The convicted boys walked from the court room ready to start their sentences before the motion was entered by either side.

No motions are, however, forthcoming, as the state will not appeal.

Sentence of life imprisonment was imposed upon Nathan Leopold Jr. and Richard Loeb by Chief Justice John Caverly for the murder of Robert Franks.

The Justice also imposed a sentence of ninety-nine years on each charge of kidnapping for ransom. The boys pleaded guilty to both offenses.

The prisoners are scheduled to leave for the State Penitentiary under heavy guard before night.

In sentencing the boys, Caverly declared the boys admitted legal responsibility for their act but by act also demonstrated that they were abnormal, although the defense had abandoned the insanity plea in the course of the trial.

"The testimony in this case reveals a crime of singular atrocity, in a sense inexplicable but not less repulsive thereby. The deed was deliberately planned and prepared and time and executed with every feature of callousness and cruelty," Judge Caverly declared.

The Justice also declared that there was no conclusive evidence of abnormality of the body of the victim.

The youthful prisoners receive their sentences without any signs of emotion.

Loeb smiled thinly, while Leopold heard the verdict soberly.

They were then hurried from the court room lodged in jail and then placed to await the trip to Joliet.

Justice Caverly declared in his judgment:

"Since both cases, namely that of kidnapping for ransom and murder of characters which invested the court with discretion as to punishment, by pleading guilty the boys assumed legal responsibility for the crimes. They have been shown in criminal respects to be abnormal. He they been normal they would not have committed the crime. Here the court will say not for the purpose of extenuating guilt but for dispelling misapprehensions that appear to have found lodgment in the public mind that he is convinced there was no abuse offered the body of the victim.

For both crimes the law prescribes punishment and not alternative. For murder the statutes prescribe death, life imprisonment or prison less than fourteen years. For kidnapping for ransom the statutes read death, imprisonment for life, or not less than five years."

Under the plea of guilty entered by the prisoners, the duty devolves upon the court and the law does not indicate a rule or guidance for his discretion. It would have been the line of least resistance to impose the extreme penalty. In choosing imprisonment, instead of death, the court has been moved chiefly by a consideration of the youth of the defendant who were eighteen and nineteen.

Is not for the court to say he will not in any case enforce capital punishment as an alternative, but the court believes he is within the province of the court to decline an imposition of death sentence on persons not of full age.

"Life imprisonment may not at the moment strike the public imagination as forcibly as would death by hanging but to offenders particularly of the type the boys are prolonged suffering for years of confinement may well be the severest form of retribution and expiation. The court feels proper to add a final word concerning the effect of parole law upon the punishment of these defendants. In case of such atrocious crimes it is entirely within discretion of department public welfare never to admit these defendants to parole. To the course the court urges them to strictly adhere. If this course is preserved in the punishment of these defendants, it will satisfy both ends of justice and safeguard interests of society."

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—The disappearance of Robert Franks, 14-year old schoolboy, was first brought to light on the evening of May 21, 1924.

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STEEL RING IS PLACED ABOUT COURTROOM

Loeb, uncle of Dickie," were accompanied by Foreman Leopold and Albin Loeb, brothers of the two slayers. They took their customary places in the court.

Clarence Darrow and Benjamin and Walter Bachrach, the defense legal staff, came at the same time. The State's attorney and his staff of assistants held a conference on another floor of the building.

Justice Caverly, surrounded by crack deputy sheriffs, passed through the halls and went directly to his chambers. He came out to the clerk's desk a moment later, borrowed a pen and a plain pad of paper, and returned to his chambers to write the fateful words of sentence.

The Justice's face was a gray mask of mystery. He nodded but did not smile as he recognized friends in the courtroom.

The elder Leopold as he came into court, smiled wistfully in answer to questions regarding how he felt. He echoed the words of Attorney Ben Bachrach, who said:

"Well, we're in a receptive mood."

In marked contrast to the days of the murder hearing there was plenty of elbow room in the courtroom. Instead of eager, curious throngs packing their way into every nook and corner, none but the principals, police, deputy sheriffs, court attaches and newspaper men were present. Instead of 80 per cent women and girls, the crowd today was composed almost entirely of men—a few girl reporters being the only women on hand.

A battery of a dozen cameras was trained on the bench and seats of the defendants.

Nathan and Richard refused to fight their customary morning interview to newspapermen. At 9:10 they were led across the bridge from the jail to the courtroom. As they walked across the bridge, newspaper cameramen turned toward a barrage of flashlights. Richard jumped in mock fright and cried out:

"Gee, they nearly killed me."

Then he and Leopold smiled and waved their hands in greeting and walked into the hall p.m. waiting there for the order to come into court.

At 9:20 State's Attorney Croyle and his coterie of assistants entered the courtroom. Croyle's shock of iron-gray hair was rumpled. He smiled and acknowledged to greetings from anxious spectators. At this time Justice Caverly was still locked in his office with Chief of Detectives Hughes and other police officers handling the case.

Darrow walked about the courtroom, chatting gaily with friends. Jacob Frank, father of the 10-year-old boy, was still absent at 9:25 a.m. Samuel Hildesheim, his personal attorney, took his customary seat with the State's Attorney.

SPORTLIGHTS

Here's sportlight's report on the Mexia Public School this year: "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

Back City "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

In the literary society as well as in the athletic field "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

In every contest, and in "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

Make a name for old Mexia High in year, boys, "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

It was once the cry of old Seawater, that little University was the pride of Southern educational institutions. "Fight! Fight! Fight!" And good one it was too. It made history there.

Catch the spirit of the fight and of the play, "Fight! Fight! Fight!" The eyes of Mexia are upon you, "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

Mexia football fans will not be so good to good teams this year. The Mexia high winning all high school contests and Westminister winning all junior college games.



Ring Up the Curtain on WOMEN'S FASHIONS for FALL & WINTER

By MURIEL TOWNLEY

Slender and straight—for many a season now straight lines of youth and simplicity have been our aim. But each season has its own means of achieving this result.

We saw a few beltless frocks last summer and as though fashion, having tried them out, nodded her approval, they are to be better than ever this fall. They are exceptionally becoming, and doubtless women of taste and knowledge of dress will be enthusiastic supporters of fashion's dictum.

Another new style to be seen on many a charming new frock is the tunic. Sometimes these tunics are

only to the knee, at others they are within two or three inches of the bottom of the skirt.

No many of these tunics are worn that as might be expected there is a great variation in the details of their smartness. Some are straight and almost as tight as the underskirt. Others are quite as tight as the underskirt, and slashed up the side.

However, the most popular of all is the tunic which comes to within six or seven inches of the underskirt and varies from a little soft fullness to quite a decided circular flare.

Of course not every dress is beltless. But when a dress is worn there

is a growing tendency to make it a more important part of the costume than the little strings we have been wearing. A suede belt about four or five inches wide is quite the new est. For sports wear these belts are seen in the brightest of reds and greens but for wear with darker frocks the whole scale of colors from dark brown to a light tan, grey and a soft green are very popular.

Skirts are definitely shorter. With the slim straight line which leads the mode today a long dress is really very ungainly and unbecoming. So charm has won and we are back once more to the youthful, practical and comfortable short skirt. This

year's skirt reaches from about six to eight inches below the knee.

Bengaline Again

This promises to be a season when silk frocks will be worn a great deal. Silk frocks in simpler modes for morning as well as afternoon wear. Bengaline and faille are the favorites. Ribbed silks are leading the mode in every possible interpretation—ribbed silk hats, ribbed silk blouses and even ribbed silk purses. We have been wearing crepe satin, flat crepe and crepe de chine for so long that we might well have forgotten there were any other silks. So these fine little ribs seem all the more charming because of their novelty.

Evening Frocks

For evening and more formal wear crepe satin will still be the most popular for there is something too in formal about ribbed silk to use it for anything but rather simple tailored modes.

We may have fibbed with dainty airy little chiffon frocks this past summer because they gave such a cool, floating look on warm summer nights. But when winter comes with its more elaborate parties—metal fabrics, metal brocades and rich printed velvets interpret the evening mode.

Rich brocades and jacquards fashion many a stunning model designed for the more elaborate afternoon functions.

The popularity of the silk frock can never take away the becoming charm of the smart cloth frock—particularly for early fall. When the first fall days have a slight chill in the air how wonderfully attractive a woman looks in a smartly cut, modish dark cloth frock. It is too becoming a style to even think of

neglecting it. This fall red is seen in many stunning frocks with twill as a close second competing with it for popular favor.

Squares or Braided Used

Simplicity is the keynote of the trimmings. In many cases squares or bands of the material are used and there are rows and rows of the braid. Now and then some of the models have a lovely bit of gay colorful embroidery to relieve the monotone.

But buttons are to be seen everywhere. It hard seems, as though there could be enough buttons in the world to satisfy the demands of the smart frocks. Buttons of all types and descriptions. Buttons running from the neck to the hemline; buttons down each side from the hips to the hemline; buttons around the hemline. It almost seems as though any dress which bristles with buttons is smart.

Favored Trimmings

On more elaborate costumes embroideries in lovely soft tones, silk fringes and bandings of fur are quite the favored trimmings. The embroideries and fringes show some effects, soft shading from the main tone rather than a striking contrast. The only exception to this is the use of black and white.

Lingerie collars and cuffs are in high favor. Organdie, lace and linen are to be seen becomingly trimming the neck and cuffs of many a well dressed woman's daytime frocks. It is very fortunate too for some women cannot stand the harsh neckline of a dark frock while a touch of white just works wonders in bringing out the most becoming tints of their complexion.

Yes, the sleeve has definitely returned to favor. The sleeveless frock

Local News

S. L. Brown was here from Waco today on business.

W. R. Brewington of Hillsboro was here today.

M. A. Maxwell of Waco spent the day here today.

J. K. Adams was here from Waco today.

F. Buchanan of Hearn was in Mexia today.

B. L. George from Temple was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

W. C. Lamb was here from Navasota today.

John I. McElroy was in Dallas on business Tuesday.

B. S. Scelley, General Manager of the Pure Oil Company here has gone to Columbus, Ohio on business.

Jack Becker left today for Dallas where he will undergo an operation on his eyes.

Chief of Police Albert Mace returned to Mexia last night after attending the funeral of his brother at Lamplugh on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. R. J. Randolph, Miss Mary Glen Day and Miss Elizabeth Randolph of Madisonville were in Mexia shopping today.

Mrs. G. A. Walter and daughters, Miss Betsy and Bess have returned from a trip to California. They report a most pleasant summer.

Prayer meeting services will be held in all the local protestant churches this evening at 8:00 o'clock. The music is cordially invited.

T. A. Ramus has resigned from the Pure Oil Company and will leave within the next few days with his family for Dallas.

Rev. J. S. Taylor was in Dallas

Tuesday, spending the day at a meeting of the Executive Board of the Baptist church and visiting the churches of that city.

Rev. J. S. Taylor is now Limestone County Baptist Missionary. He and his family have moved to this city and will make Mexia their home in the future.

Mrs. S. L. Cronis and son Stewart have arrived in Mexia from Tulsa, to join Mr. Cronis who is Manager of the land department of the Pure Oil Company here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Harper have returned from Ft. Worth, where they have been for the past ten days, spending a most profitable period of study there.

The Mexia Rotary Club will meet at its usual weekly luncheon hour at the Topic Cafe Thursday at noon. A full attendance of the membership is urged.

Mrs. Joe Jeffers is visiting her mother in Tyler, having left for that place Tuesday morning. Rev. Jeffers went on to Dallas to attend the Executive Board meeting of the Baptist church.

Too Late to Classify!

FOR RENT—One large room completely furnished for light housekeeping or suitable for sleeping room. Also 2 room unfurnished house. E. Titus Street, just off Ross. MRS. G. W. PERKINS, 408 E. Carthage St. 1013

LOST—Between New Hope and Mexia on Teague road. Good wagon sheet. Please notify D. A. HADDICK, Route 2, Mexia.

FOR SALE—Good Jersey milk cow at a bargain if sold at once. J. L. ROWE, Allamson Leace, Pure Oil Co. 1037

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms No. 233 East Milam Street, two blocks north Majestic Hotel, Box 543 or Room 19, Ross & Green Bldg.

is now seen only for rather formal occasions. The new sleeve is long, gently tapering from the shoulder to a close fitting cuff.

The Ensemble Suit.

The newest suit is the ensemble with a long coat—a coat which reaches to within five or six inches of the bottom of the skirt. It is worn sometimes over a silk tunic blouse which is exactly the same length as the coat or over a silk dress with a narrow band of the coat material at the bottom. These suits are splendid for fall wear for when one takes off the coat one is suitably dressed in a becoming silk frock.

We Ask Men

TO PROTECT THEIR HAIR

By Edna Wallace Hopper

I speak for all women when I say that we want men to keep their locks. And above all, their hair.

The women do that. You would never forgive us if we did not. We beg you to follow our example.



Edna Wallace Hopper

My whole career on the stage has depended largely on my hair. So many years ago I went to France and secured the best hair helps she knew. And I have kept up with every new discovery.

The result is my hair as you see it. It is thick and lustrous. Photo 1923 finer than 40 years ago. I have never had falling hair or dandruff, and never a touch of gray. Now countless women who use what I use are attaining like results.

I am offering to women the best I have found, and men are also welcome. My hair Youth combines the utmost that modern science knows. I am sure that no one knows anything for the hair which does what this combination does.

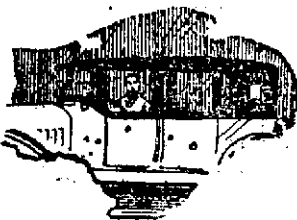
I apply it with an eye-dropper directly to the scalp. Applying tonics to the hair is ridiculous. The whole thing lies in the scalp in the roots, and there my Hair Youth goes.

It combats the hardened oil and dandruff which stifle the hair roots. It tones and stimulates the scalp. Hair thrives on such a soil as flowers thrive by like method.

I believe that my Hair Youth now combines the greatest hair helps in existence. I have never seen anything else which brought comparable results.

Now I have placed it in every drug store, on every toilet counter. All who desire may obtain it. The name is Edna Wallace Hopper's Hair Youth. It will amaze and delight you. I authorize every dealer to return the price to anyone who claims the slightest disappointment.

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LOCATING BODY FOR COLLEGE TO BE HERE NEXT WEEK

An inspection of the site offered by Waco as a location for the college to be built in the State by the Lutheran Missouri Synod of Texas was made Monday by trustees of the proposed college, in company with representatives of the Young Men's Business League and the Chamber of Commerce.

Members of the trustees of the institution were: Rev. H. Gaertner, Chairman, of Missouri; O. Weise, Secretary of Thordale; and Dr. H. Studman of Reisel.

Late Monday the trustees left Waco for Dallas to view the site offered by that city for the college. They will come to Mexia from that city to inspect the proposed sites here. The offices of the Chamber of Commerce here report that it will be one day next week before the committeemen arrive here.

On October 15 a joint session of the trustees and the general board of directors of the Lutheran Missouri Synod of the United States will be held in Waco. Dr. F. Pfstenhauer of Chicago is the chairman of the board of directors and he will preside at the gathering. This meeting will decide where the college will be located. Prior to the session here a vote on the location will be had from every congregation of the Lutheran Missouri Synod in Texas, and it is believed that all but two cities will have been eliminated by the time the meeting is held in Waco to select the place where the college will be located.

Prior to visiting Waco the board of trustees inspected sites offered in Austin, Temple, Marlin, Giddings and LaGrange.

One Legged Stork Looks All Right

(By United Press)
DALLAS, Sept. 10.—Hereafter the only occupant of the stork pen at the local zoo will be a one legged stork—contrary to the bird's style in attempting to fool onlookers by keeping one of the members drawn up out of sight.

The bird engaged in an argument with a cantankerous workman a few weeks ago and received a kick which broke his leg. As the result of the run-in the stork lost a leg and the workman his job.

Veterinarians are contemplating firing the bird up with a wooden leg as soon as the stump heals from the amputation.

FOR SALE—Ford delivery car in good condition.vrolet touring car like new, used four months. Everything in good condition. Less than one-half price or will trade for new model Ford truck—Mexia Text and Awning Co. Phone 657-W Main and Red River Sts.

News has been received here of the death in Houston of A. R. Hamblen, a well known attorney of that city and a son of the late W. P. Hamblen, Sr. The family has friend here who will regret to learn of his sudden death which was the result of heart failure Monday while he was seated at his office.

The new issue of the American College magazine on sale today Pioneer News Stand. 10c

Mrs. W. P. being instructor of voice and art. singing. Classes beginning now. Studio 322 E. Boyle Phone 522A. 10c

Green's Secretary Shows Movies by Radio.



W. H. MARSHALL

Walter H. Marshall, secretary to Colonel E. H. Green, son of the late H. H. Green and one of the world's richest men, as well as one of the greatest amateur radio bugs, demonstrated in a New York theatre motion pictures sent 60 feet by radio on a machine invented by Colonel Green, who expects to perfect the scheme within a year so that movies may be broadcast all over the country.

HOME DRESSMAKING



Effective Border Treatment

Paris applies picturesque borders of silk and cotton to the latest frocks designed for girls. This model may be carried out in any soft, pliable fabric, the border being cut in one with the front panel.

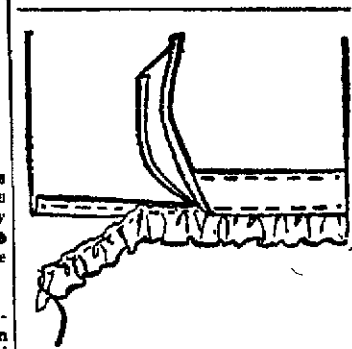
The bellless frock for girls between the ages of four and ten years, stresses the straight silhouette with a slight flare at the lower edge. For its development one may employ the new wool crepe, novelty cottons, flannel or crepe de chine. The front panel is plaited at the neck and outlined with a tiny frill of the dress material. This frill extends around the top of the figured border and reappears on the round neck and the short, kimono sleeves.

For a girl of eight or ten years, the dress calls for 1 1/2 yards of plain material 36 or 40 inches wide and 1 1/2 yards of figured goods. The model offers many possibilities of development. If designed as a party frock,

It could be developed in crepe Georgette with lace or embroidery taking the place of the figured material as a trimming.

The diagram shows how the lower edge of the sleeve is finished with the ruffle and facing. First turn under the lower edge of the sleeve about three-eighths of an inch, then baste. Take the frill, which is made of a narrow strip of the dress material and carefully gathered, and baste the center of the frill to the center of the top of the sleeve. Distribute the gathers of the frill as evenly as possible and baste to the lower edge of the sleeve.

Next take a bias fold of the material, if there is no seam binding at hand, and turn under both edges and either press or baste. This facing is then basted to the lower edge of the sleeve, over the frill, shown in the diagram. After basting, hem



Finishing Sleeve with Ruffle and Facing

with very fine stitches, which must not show through to the right side.

Fashion has yielded somewhat in the matter of materials approved for the development of children's frocks and will sponsor velvet in this connection during the fall and winter. Dark backgrounds, such as brown, slate gray, plum, dark blue and deep beige are traced with lines of black, dark or brilliant hue to produce novel color schemes for girl's dresses made of velvet and velveteen.

RADIO PROGRAMS

Station Call Letters.

KDKA, East Pittsburgh, 326.
KGO, Oakland, 372.
KGW, Portland, Ore., 492.
KHJ, Los Angeles, 395.
KPO, San Francisco, 423.
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KFSG, Los Angeles, 278.
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WDAK, Chicago, 360.
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WIP, Philadelphia, 509.
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WLW, Cincinnati, 309.

(See Station Calls Above)

Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

Central Standard Time.

By DAISY MAYES.

6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

KYW, 6:00 to 6:30 Dinner concert.

WDAK, 6:00 Conversation corner.

KGO, 6:00 to 7:30 Concert orchestra.

WDAF, 6:00 to 7:00 School of the Air.

WCC, 6:00 Musical program.

WOO, 6:15 Organ recital.

KYW, 6:30 to 7:00 Program.

KPO, 6:30 to 7:30 Fairmont Hotel orchestra.

7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

KSD, 7:00 Abergh's concert ensemble.

WOO, 7:00 WOO orchestra.

YHE, 7:00 to 8:00 Guitar solos; address; instrumental trio.

WLW, 7:00 Virginia entertainers.

KYW, 7:00 to 7:30 Musical program.

WWJ, 7:30 Detroit News orchestra.

WCAE, 7:30 Musical program.

KYW, 7:30 to 8:15 Stage review.

WHAS, 7:30 to 9:00 Concert.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.

WOS, 8:00 Agricultural address.

WOC, 8:00 Organ recital, baritone.

WDAF, 8:00 to 9:15 Program, federated music clubs.

KHJ, 8:00 to 8:30 Hickman's orchestra.

WOS, 8:00 Dance orchestra.

WASB, 8:00 Election returns.

WLW, 8:00 Music.

WDAK, 8:00 Dance orchestra.

WOS, 8:20 Musical program.

KFSG, 8:30 to 9:30 Gray studio program.

KHJ, 8:30 to 9:30 Children's hour.

KYW, 8:45 to 9:00 Music.

KFI, 8:45 to 9:30 Vocal concert.

9:00 to 10:00 p. m.

KPO, 9:00 to 9:30 Seiger's orchestra.

KFI, 9:30 to 10:00 "Mammy" Simmens.

KYW, 9:45 to 12:00 Midnight revue.

10:00 to 11:00 p. m.

KHJ, 10:00 to 10:30 Lecture.

KGW, 10:00 Concert by violinist.

KFI, 10:00 to 11:00 Evening Herald.

11:00 to 12:00 a. m.

KPO, 10:00 to 1:00 a. m. Versatile band.

KHJ, 10:30 to 12:00 Concert.

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Prince Gets Kick Out Of U. S. Trip

(By United Press)
SYOSSET, L. I., N. Y., Sept. 9.—Recovered from his first American mishap—a blow in the eye from a clock kicked up by a polo pony—the Prince of Wales looked forward eagerly today to witnessing the first of the international polo matches at Meadowbrook.

Physicians stated that the injury to the Royal optic was not serious and the Prince refused to allow it to interfere with his dancing last night.

H. R. H. will root for the British four, who are almost hopeless long shots in the betting on the first match. He will sit in the official box of the United States Polo Association with his aide, Major Metcalfe, Secretary Weeks, General Pershing, Sir Eame Howard and Lady Howard, Hon. Harland F. Stone and Mrs. Stone,

Mrs. Stone, Hon. Henry C. Wallace and Mrs. Wallace, Herbert Hoover and Mrs. Hoover, Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Roosevelt and a number of his society friends.

"DAWN OF THE MOUNTAINS"

The new four act drama by DeWitt Newing, has created considerable of a furore in the stock theatres or the country where it is being produced. Mr. Newing has laid his scenes in the mountains of Virginia, his characters are the strong-willed mountaineers whose first idea is to shoot the "furriner," as they call the men of the East, and then to talk with them. As a worthy successor of "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," Mr. Newing's play is a decided success. The week of Sept. 15th will see its production at the Opera House for 3 days.

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THE WAY TO PROSPERITY POINTED OUT

J. W. Stubenrauch has again written and the words of personal experience and suggestions based on his unselfish observation are well worth the serious consideration of every member of the Mexia Chamber of Commerce. Hardy Eubanks, President of the Mexia commercial organization thinks so; every director down in his heart thinks so; and, Mexia merchants will know so, if they get down to brass tacks, see all the cards that Mr. Stubenrauch has placed frankly and openly on the table and then when enough people who are anxious for prosperity and happiness to come to the masses of hard working toiling citizens call a spade a spade as he has done, there will be results that will cause our fields to blossom with greater plenty and grand old Limestone County will go marching on.

In his recent letter, Mr. Stubenrauch has called attention once more to the "Gold Mines of Tehuacana" represented in the Limestone hills of that historical home of the Blue Bonnet and nature's choicest fertilizer, Lime. It is hoped that Agent F. P. Huchingson, who is also a Director of the Mexia Chamber of Commerce will bring his open letter to the eye of W. R. Scott of the Southern Pacific lines. Cooperation here then extended Mr. Scott may get results, the benefits of which will be generally distributed throughout this part of Texas.

Mr. Stubenrauch has also called attention to the need in Limestone County of a Demonstration Agent and of County Farm Agents.

Practically every prosperous county in Texas has tried out county demonstration and county farm agents and have found the experiments a most wise investment. Limestone county would find the experiment equally advantageous to the toiling and needy farmers and children of the farmers of this section. There is no doubt about that.

To bring about a realization of this hope that he has cherished so long, a hope joined in by scores of other influential and intelligent farmers in the county, he has offered the worthy suggestion that the Chamber of Commerce and Women's clubs take the matter in hand and stress the need before the proper authorities.

The proper authorities are the members of the Commissioners Court. These commissioners and County Judge Kim have been chosen to represent the people for the coming 2 years, and they no doubt will be glad to respond to the wishes of the people concerned in this instance.

The farmers can help and if enough of them appeal for action like Mr. Stubenrauch has appealed so forcefully and so frequently, then the Chamber of Commerce at Mexia, the Chamber of Commerce at Groesbeck and the commercial clubs of the other towns of the county may expect a response in the direction pointed out.

The women, too, as Mr. Stubenrauch suggests, may do a most effective work. Clubs of ladies wherever organized, civic, community, social literary or for mutual help, all of whom realize that the girls of today are to be the women of tomorrow, should arouse themselves just as they have done in scores of Texas counties and appeal for aid for the girls by securing a Demonstration Agent for the county.

Not all the boys and girls of the field and farm will be given an opportunity to attend A. and M. and C. I. A. but they all may receive the benefit of the knowledge which those institutions are imparting by and through these agents who bring and apply the training of these institutions into every farm home and to every farm.

What will you do about it?

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years of age; Vanderbilt built the great American railroad system after he was 70; Gladstone never reached the height of his great power until he was 80; Titan did not paint his masterpiece until he was 98; and Henry Ford of our own day was never heard of until he was beyond life's noonday.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

ALBERT A. WORTHAM.

(Corsicana Sun.)

Albert A. Wortham, for more than 22 years editor of the Daily Sun, is dead.

These words carried with them a great sense of sorrow and loss to many in Corsicana when they were passed from lip to lip early Saturday. And while the city as a whole and the entire citizenship, will miss him and mourn his passing, the places where he will be missed with a keener sense of loss and with a greater knowledge of his real worth and splendid character will be in his home and in the Sun office, where he has labored and spread sunshine for so many years.

Albert Wortham was a real man—a man in all that the word implies—a gentleman—for what better definition can there be of a gentleman than the two words—gentle man. No man possessed a nobler or more gentle nature. He was honest, conscientious and square in all his dealing with his fellow man. He gave much and was satisfied with little in return. He was of a kind and sunny disposition, and though he might be troubled in his mind at the time the friend whom he met would never know other than that life was one sweet song, for he was ever an optimist. No man appreciated more a kind word or a thoughtful deed. His heart was big—so big that it embraced all mankind in its

great love of humanity. There was no room for other than love. Hatred could never abide there. In all the perplexities of life and the vexations that come to a newspaper editor, probably more than to the average man, he maintained the same sunny view of life and of his fellow man. Even in the days of his last illness when mayhap his body was racked with pain, his co-workers were each day greeted with the same happy smile, the same appreciative pat on the back as if he were in perfect health.

One outstanding trait of his character was his generosity. No man ever came to him in need that he was not succored. In fact he was generous to a fault and would help those whom others refused, believing that there was good in everyone and that perhaps his assistance might be the

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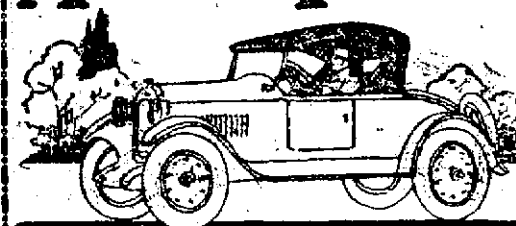
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DEATH SENTENCE IS FORE SEEN BY GAMBLERS IN CHICAGO

(By United Press)
CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—Betting odds in Chicago gambling clubs favor a sentence of hanging for Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb for their murder of Bobby Franks, it was learned today. Many thousands of dollars have been wagered on the possible sentences to be meted out by Justice John R. Caverly tomorrow.

About a week ago when the first bets were made, the odds were as high as three to one that Nathan and Richard would be sentenced to death. The odds have gone down steadily until today the betting is five to four that Justice Caverly will sentence them the gallows. A large sum of money has been wagered at these odds that the boys hang.

Riding on the possibility of life in prison is at even money.

Bigger odds on a lesser sentence, 14 years or more, are offered, but with few takers.

Small bets were recorded on the chance that Justice Caverly will shift the responsibility from his shoulders by placing the sanity of the youths before a jury.

With the hour of sentence only 24 hours away Nathan and Richard appear to be the same complacent young men who yawned and laughed their way through the five weeks of the grueling murder hearing.

"What's the use of worrying?" asked Leopold the philosopher and fatalist.

"Sure, what's the use," Loeb echoed.

With Watson Webb, the peerless Tommy Itochek, Malcolm Stevenson and Captain Devereux Milburn all in top shape and forming a combination which men for men outranks the invaders, America should win this first of three matches for the challenge trophy by a margin of ten goals.

The local market reports the arrival of vast quantities of carrots and winter spinach. All of which goes to show that when the people are not bothered by political hysteria, it's something else.

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AMERICA'S HARD RIDING FOUR FAVORITES FOR CUP

By FRANK GETTY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
MEADOWBROOK CLUB, Westbury, L. I., Sept. 9.—America's hard riding, hard-hitting polo four were overwhelming favorites for the first of the international challenge cup matches with Great Britain today.

Overcast skies that threatened rain shadowed the firm green turf between the towering blue stands from the Prince of Wales and some 40,000 spectators will witness this classic of international sport at 4 p. m.

Nothing short of a steady down-pour will be permitted to interrupt the match, however.

Heavily handicapped by the loss of their champion, Louis Lacey, the British four were hopeful of overcoming the odds and springing a surprise as another outclassed British team did in 1914. But it was a faint hope in the opinion of sportsmen.

Armistead Resigns Highway Commission

(By United Press)
AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 9.—Governor Neff has accepted the resignation of George Armistead of San Antonio as member of the State Highway Commission. Armistead will give his time to journalism.

Marcus Corley spent the day in Waco Tuesday.

Republic of Ecuador Has New President.



Dr. Gonzalo S. Cordova has just been elected President of the Republic of Ecuador.

The evident admiration of a strange man makes a girl almost as indignant as his failure to notice her.

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GENERAL FU TO DIRECT FIGHT IN SHANGHAI WAR ZONE

(By United Press)

LONDON, Sept. 9.—Reports from all Chinese battlefronts today and from headquarters of the rival war lords of the North who are preparing to enter the fray indicated that General Fu's direct intervention followed immediately upon the martial declaration of the Manchurian chief Lin Chang Tso Lin.

Gen. Wu Pei Fu, leader of the Chih party, arrived at the Liu Ho battlefront before Shanghai to direct personally the assault of Chi Hsieh Yuan's forces upon the city.

Learning this, Chang Tso Lin sent word that he would kill Wu Pei Fu and also President Tano Kun of the Peking Government.

Another powerful lord, Sun Yat Sen is sending large numbers of troops Northward to Shanghai.

General Lu is reported to have received a check for 400,000 pounds sterling from Chang Tso Lin as an evidence of the latter's entry into the conflict.

Thus Chang Tso Lin and Sun Yat Sen, powerful leaders of the north and south, have aligned themselves with Lu Yang Hsiang at a moment when reports from the Shanghai battlefronts indicate he has met with severe defeat.

Gen. Wu Pei Fu and President Tano Kun, of Peking are backing Gen. Chi Hsieh Yuan.

Gabberdigger Wants Texas Girl

(T. WORTH, Sept. 9.—) Herman Kline of Ft. Denning, Ga., is very eager to get in touch with some of Texas' famed girls, according to a letter received here by Mayor E. L. Cockrell a few days before "Gabberdigger" left for Fulton, Mo., to take over the presidency of William Woods College.

The mayor did not indicate whether he would carry the plea along with him for delivery to the girls at William Woods or not. But it is certain that he didn't bat for them here, for he didn't have time before catching a rattler.

BERLIN IS HIT HARDEST BY GERMAN CRIME WAVE

(By International News Service)

BERLIN, Sept. 9.—Berlin is hit hardest by the German crime wave. During the last year no less than a hundred thousand crimes have been brought to the notice of the Berlin

MEN WHO FIGURE IN NEWS SPOT LIGHT.



Above: SAMMY RZEZEWSKI & CHARLES A. STONHAM
Below: GENERAL PERSHING & PAUL PAINLEVE

Paul Painleve, President of the French Chamber of Deputies, the most powerful man in France, was about to return from Havre to Paris when he discovered his trunk was missing. A fifteen minute search failed to locate it. Then he remembered he hadn't brought one. General John J. Pershing, retiring as field commander-in-chief of the American armies, has refused offers to manage a "Buffalo Bill" show or to enter the movies. Charles A. Stonham, owner of the New York Giants, will go on trial on September 20 for alleged conspiracy to use the mails to defraud in stock transactions. Sammy Rzezewski, of Detroit, chess prodigy, defeated Julius Rosenwald, Chicago millionaire philanthropist, who will now defray all the child's expenses in studying to be a Hebrew theologian.

police, according to statistics issued by Berlin Police Headquarters. Half of all cases are thefts of various shades. Police returns of 1923 show an alarming increase of crimes against 1922 reports.

The increase of crimes in 1923 is attributed to the demoralizing effect of the inflation period, which reached its climax in the preceding year. It is generally assumed that, with the return to normal currency and decreasing unemployment law-breaking cases will be considerably reduced.

C. A. Puckett is a business visitor to Groesbeck today.

NOTICE.

The real estate, livestock, farm implements, etc., belonging to the estate of Mr. J. L. Cogdell, deceased, will be offered for sale, and bids or proposals for purchase of same, or any part thereof, will be received by the undersigned until November 1st, 1924. This estate consists of 1,221 acres of land situated about six miles west of Mexia, 16 head of cattle, and 42 head of mules and various farm implements. This property can be inspected by anyone who is interested.

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Trustee Estate J. L. Cogdell, deceased
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IEWS SWAPPED REGARDING THE CHINESE FUED

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

LONDON, Sept. 9.—The governments of the United States have begun preliminary exchange of views regarding the Chinese crisis, according to information from a reliable source.

The possibility of concerted international action to prevent general civil war in China is being discussed. Prime Minister MacDonald soon will devote his personal attention to the problem. Meanwhile Britain's Oriental experts are emphasizing the extreme difficulty of intervention.

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Convocation of a round table conference of rival Chinese war lords is agreed possible. It is pointed out that armed intervention would be politically hazardous from an Anglo-American viewpoint, because Japan's proximity and strength would give her a preponderant role, one which the other powers, especially the British and Americans, would find it difficult to curb and control.

NOTICE.

All persons or firms who may have claims against the estate of J. L. Cogdell, deceased, will please file their claim, stating the nature of same and the amount thereof with the undersigned by November 1st, 1924.

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STEALS PALM TREES.

(By International News Service.)

LOS ANGELES Sept. 9.—T. Moriwaki admitted the palm trees in his neighbor's yard. Now he is serving six months in jail for stealing six of the trees.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Mackey and two daughters are on their vacation which they are spending in Toronto, Canada. Mr. Mackey is cashier at the T. & B. V. offices.

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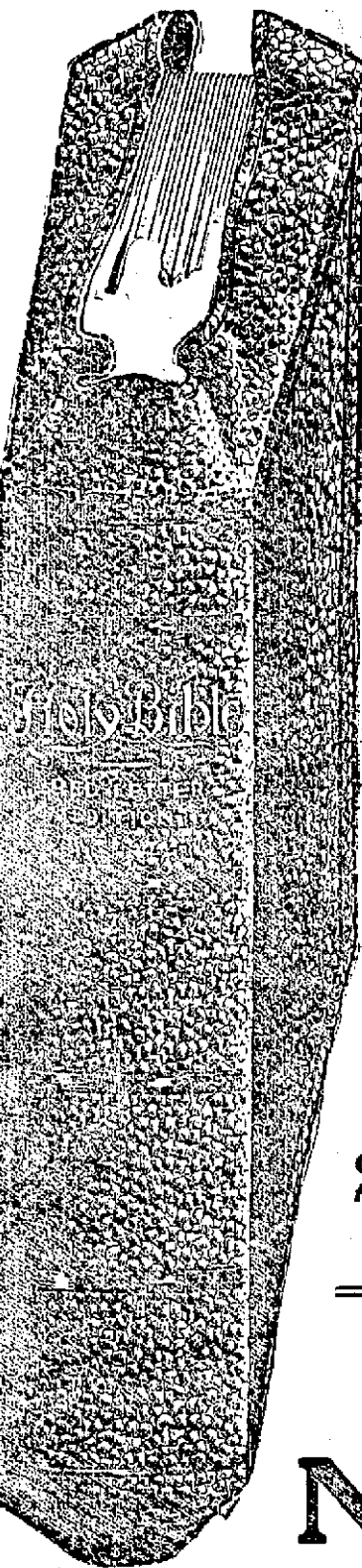
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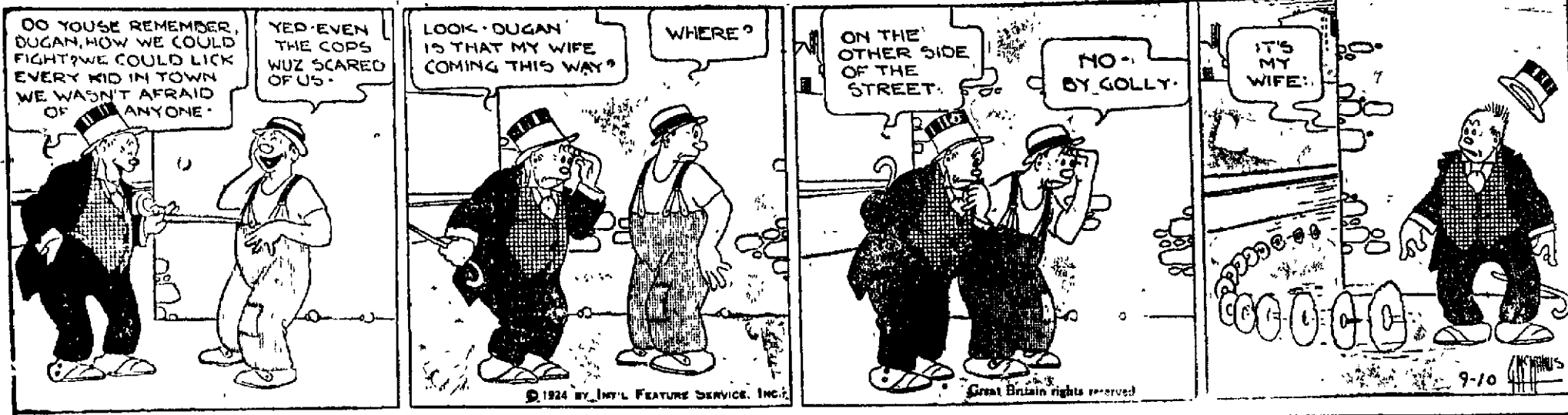
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(From the Toledo Blade.) If there is any political activity in Ohio it is a error.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Harry Young and wife, Sarah E. Young, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County 87th Judicial District, to be held at the courthouse thereof in Groesbeck, on the first Monday in November, 1924, the same being the 31st day of November, 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 4th day of August, A.D., 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4701-B, wherein Eliza Carter is plaintiff, and Harry Young and Sarah E. Young are defendants, said petition alleging that heretofore to wit on or about the first day of September 1922, the Defendants made, executed and delivered to plaintiff their joint promissory note for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Thirty and Forty Eight Hundredths Dollars (\$1530.48) and payable in monthly installments of Twenty five (\$25.) Dollars each, the first installment being due and payable on or before the first day of October, 1922, and one installment to become due and payable on or before the first day of each succeeding month thereafter until the whole principal sum and interest is paid; said note being payable to the order of the plaintiff at the rate of 10% per annum from date until paid, and stipulating for 10% of the amount of the principal and interest then due as attorney's fees in case suit is brought on same or is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, whereby the Defendants and each of them became bound and liable to pay and promise to pay to plaintiff the sum of money in said note specified, together with all interest and attorney's fees due thereon according to the tenor and effect thereof.

Said note was given for a part of the purchase money of the following described real estate and premises situated in the city of Mexia, Limestone County, Texas, to-wit: Lot 3 in subdivision A in Division 41, as shown by the Recorded Map of the City of Mexia, Texas. That said property was heretofore to-wit on the first day of September, 1922, conveyed by plaintiff to Defendants by his deed of writing of that date, in consideration, among other things, of the note herein described, and that in said deed of conveyance a lien was reserved thereon to secure the payment of said note, that said note and the installments thereon are due and unpaid, the last installment amounting to Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars having been paid on or about June 1st, 1923, and no other payments or installments have been made since that time by the Defendants or either of them, or by any one

on their behalf, the often requested so to make such payments.

The said note has been placed in the hands of W. T. Church, attorney, for collection, and plaintiff has contracted to pay him 10% attorney's fees stipulated therein, the same being the reasonable and usual and customary fee.

Wherefore, the plaintiff prays the court that the Defendants and each of them be cited to appear and answer this petition, that he have judgement for his debt, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for the foreclosure of his lien on the above described land and premises, and the same be decreed to be sold according to law; that the sheriff or other officer executing said order of sale, shall place under said order of sale in possession thereof, within thirty (30) days after the day of the sale and for such other and further relief special and general, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness Johnson Wakefield, Clerk of the District Court of Limestone County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the city of Groesbeck, this 9 day of Sept., A. D. 1924.

(Seal)
A true copy I certify.
Whit Popejoy
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas
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(10-17-24-1)

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North Texas— Aug. 2 July 26
Burkburnett 19,450 19,150
Electra 20,750 21,450
Iowa Park & K-M-A 4,850 4,950
Petrolia 350 350
Archer County 20,200 30,450
Total, North Texas 74,600 76,350

Central Texas—
Stephens County 19,350 20,100
Ranger (Eastland) 6,950 6,950
Desdemona 4,000 4,000
Young County 4,150 4,150
Mexico 27,500 28,200
Currie 3,300 3,400
Richland 14,900 16,500
Corsicana-Powell 82,400 82,100
Corsicana, heavy 650 650
Strawn 1,350 1,350
Moran 1,750 1,750
All others 10,000 10,050

Total, Cen. Texas 176,300 *179,600
Total, North and Central Texas 250,900 255,950
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Caddo.
28 gravity and above \$1.60

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33 to 34.9 gravity 1.50
32 to 34.9 gravity 1.40
Below 31 gravity 1.25
Haynesville.
33 gravity and above \$1.50
Below 33 gravity 1.40
Bull Bayou.
38 gravity and above \$1.55
35 to 37.9 gravity 1.40
32 to 34.9 gravity 1.25
De Soto crude 1.60
Crichton 1.40
Bellevue 1.50

Smackover.
28 gravity and above \$1.05
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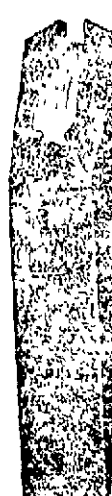
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LIFE SENTENCE IS IMPOSED ON SLAVERS

(Continued from Page One)

when Jacob Franks, Robert's father, reported to police that his son had not returned home from school.

Later that same evening Franks received a telephone call from a man who said he was "George Johnson," instructing him how to proceed in finding little Robert. The next morning's mail brought a letter which gave more complete instructions. Both the telephone call and the letter assured Franks that his son was safe and was being held for the \$10,000 which his kidnappers were demanding.

On the morning of May 22—about 12 hours after Robert disappeared—a railroad worker found the nude body of a boy, partly covered with water, lying under a railroad culvert near the southern city limits. Police were at once notified and Franks was called to the morgue. He identified the body as that of Robert. Robert had been beaten to death with a chisel.

An intensive search for the slaver was started at once. Two people said they saw a man loitering around the Harvard private school which Robert attended on the afternoon he disappeared. This man was said to have been driving up and down the street in an automobile.

The wealth and social position of the Franks family—Franks is said to be many times a millionaire—gave the case great notoriety.

Several instructors at the Harvard school were held in custody for a number of days on suspicion that they knew of or were connected with the murder.

Not until a week after the boy was murdered were Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, both sons of millionaires and both precocious college graduates, arrested and held in connection with the crime. Leopold was traced by means of a pair of horn rimmed spectacles which were found near the lonely culvert.

Leopold and Loeb stoutly denied any knowledge of the crime. Leopold said he must have dropped the glasses while on a bird hunt in that vicinity. He said he was a student of ornithology and had often visited the culvert. Both boys gave apparently substantial alibis. They told of driving in Leopold's automobile on the afternoon and evening of the murder, of "picking up" two girls, and of dining and drinking at a notorious cabaret.

Then even England, the Leopold chauffeur was called in. He told State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe the machine named by the boys was in the Leopold garage on the day of the crime.

Loeb Confessed First.

Confronted with their shattered alibi, Loeb was the first to break. He made a full confession, implicating Leopold. Leopold quite calmly made a similar confession when he was told his companion had broken down.

The amazing confessions of the two young intellectuals, in which they admitted there was no motive for the crime except "the adventure of it," were given attaches of the state's attorney's office as dawn was breaking on the morning of May 31. They told of the boys' desire to commit the "perfect crime," of their longing for a thrill, of their careful plans, of their search for a victim, and finally of how they entered Robert Franks into a rented automobile, beat him over the head with a chisel, took the body to a remote place on the south side, undressed it, poured acid on the face to prevent identification, hid the body under the culvert, and then addressed the ransom letter to the victim's father.

Unique Ransom Plan.

Their plan for collecting the \$10,000 ransom in itself was unique. Franks was to place the money in a cigar box, board a certain train on a certain day, sit in a specified seat, find a further note of instructions in a telegraph blank receptacle, proceed to the rear of the platform of the train and when he reached a specified advertising sign some distance from Chicago was to throw the money off. The boys planned to be waiting nearby, seize the package and escape. They planned a trip to Europe. Franks was preparing to follow these instructions when he found his son had been slain.

Nathan Leopold, Sr., millionaire head of the Morris Paper Box company; and Albert H. Loeb, multi-millionaire vice-president of Sears Roebuck and company, fathers of the two confessed slayers, engaged Clarence Darrow, Benjamin and Walter Bachrach to prepare their sons' defense.

After several weeks, attorneys and members of the two families decided Nathan and Richard were unfit to mingle in society and decided to make no attempt to set them free. This decision, however, was not made public until July 21 when the attorneys were called before Chief Justice John R. Caverly to enter preliminary motions. Then it was that Darrow sprang his great surprise, changing the boys' plans from not

'Art For Art's Sake' And 'Love In A Garret' Are Worn Out Themes



Guido Ciccolini and Family



Some-one somewhere in the world is singing for you. Some-one somewhere in the world is crying for you.

Guido Ciccolini Says Modern Artist Is Also Practical Business Man

The genius in a garret theme is worn threadbare, declares Guido Ciccolini, famous operatic tenor of the Chicago Opera Company.

Mr. Ciccolini insists that genius never did flourish in a garret, anyway, and always found it well-nigh impossible to raise a family there.

"You used to hear artists

talk of 'art for art's sake,' as if it were rather disgraceful to get any material comfort out of life," he points out. "In the old days an artist seemed to be a good business man. He thought it beneath him.

"That is probably why there were so few happy artists. Now it is different. The artist realizes that every hobby or avocation he may have, adds power and beauty to his interpretation of his art.

"One week I may sing in a concert with Galli-Curci and the very next week I may sing in vaudeville. I do not think that this detracts in any way from what I have to give to the world. A

real artist should be glad to have varied audiences. It is what you sing and how you sing it that really counts.

"There are plenty of popular musical compositions, for instance 'Somewhere in the World,' that are just as interesting to an audience in a concert hall as to one in a vaudeville theatre.

"Then, too, when I travel I always take my whole family, that is, my wife and two kiddies. Of course, this requires a large expenditure, and as most of my life is spent in traveling, I would rather work harder and have them with me, than hit the trail alone."

guilty to guilty. In so doing, Darrow admitted the boys were legally sane and his efforts were confined to saving his clients from the gallows, and the insane asylum.

the doctor said, gave Loeb a "thrill." His ambition was to commit "the perfect crime."

Leopold, according to Dr. White,

Jury Not Necessary.

By the boys' pleas of guilty, a jury was not necessary and upon Judge Caverly alone rested the fate of Leopold and Loeb. He ordered attorneys for the state and defense to present evidence "in aggravation and in mitigation" of the punishment.

State's Attorney Crowe, insisting that the slayers should be hanged for what he termed "Chicago's direct murder," placed more than 90 witnesses on the stand, relating in detail the murder and the confessions that followed.

Bitter Legal Battle.

Only after a bitter legal battle with State's Attorney Crowe was Darrow allowed to enter this medical testimony "in mitigation of punishment" for the two slayers. In admitting the experts' testimony, Justice Caverly ruled that they would not be permitted to testify relative to the sanity of the defendants but could tell of any "conditions of the mind" which might be considered in mitigation.

Darrow, Arguing Only That Leopold and Loeb Should Be Sent to Prison.

called a group of noted alienists and psychiatrists to the stand in an attempt to show that the boys—although legally sane—were "mentally irresponsible."

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Dr. William A. White, of Washington, D. C., was the first of the defense alienists.

He told of his examinations of Leopold and Loeb and declared his opinion was that both were mentally diseased.

Dick Loeb it was, according to Dr. White, who contributed the criminalistic tendency to the murder compact. Leopold, he said, was simply the "slave" of Loeb.

In one of the most amazing defenses ever entered for murderers in any court, Dr. White said that Leopold and Loeb were victims of childhood fantasies. Loeb's fantasies, he said, led towards the criminalistic. He imagined himself a great criminal,

was far more intellectual than Loeb. His favorite fantasy was that of the "king and slave" in which he, most often was the slave and Loeb the king. He felt Loeb was greatly superior in many ways to himself.

It was the combined result of these fantasies, Dr. White said, which caused the murder of Robert Franks. Loeb suggested the crime; Leopold consented to assist him as a dutiful slave.

Following Dr. White on the witness stand was Dr. William Healy of Boston, who corroborated in detail the testimony and conclusions of the Washington alienist.

Dr. Healy told the court that both Leopold and Loeb in his opinion were victims of psychosis—an unbalanced mind.

Dr. Bernard Glueck, of New York City, was the third defense alienist. He likewise corroborated the testimony of Dr. White and said the boys in his opinion were suffering from "split personalities." He explained this by saying that in both cases their intellect and their emotional powers were at such great disparity that the personality was "diseased or split."

Last Expert Witness.

Dr. Harold S. Hulbert of Chicago, who with Dr. Karl M. Bowman, of Boston conducted the first and most thorough examinations of the two boys, was the last defense expert witness. Following closely the outline of the Hulbert-Bowman report, which had been submitted to the other alienists, Dr. Hulbert went deeply into the physical examination of the defendants.

Dr. Hulbert said he found young Loeb strikingly immature—that he still has three baby teeth, that he has to shave only twice a week, and that his pituitary glands were functioning subnormally.

Leopold, he said, was precociously developed. His glands of internal secretion are over-functioning, his body is too heavily covered with hair, and his feet are flat.

From these facts and many others which he related Dr. Hulbert said he came to the conclusion that both Leopold and Loeb were mentally abnormal.

EXPECT 70,000 TO ENTER CHICAGO NIGHT SCHOOLS

(By International News Service.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Seventy thousand pupils are expected to enroll in the free evening elementary and high schools of Chicago during the Fall term which starts September 15, it was announced by Morgan G. Hogg, assistant superintendent of the schools. Sixty-two thousand enrolled last year.

POWER SHUT OFF.

The power was shut off in the alley back of The News office for two hours this morning, thus stopping all work in the publishing company and curtailing the news to some extent today.

Rather Reticent.

Miss Paul: "What do you think of that risque book everybody is talking about?"

Miss Pry: "It's nothing to speak of."

—K. A. B.

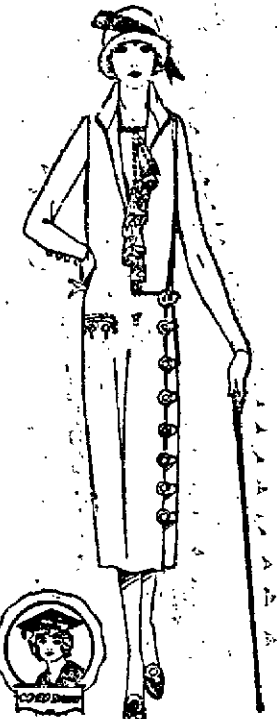
F. C. Easterling was a visitor from Normangee today.

NEW CO-ED DRESSES Just Received

Style 674

Tan Jersey is applied in an interesting pattern on brick Jersey in this tailored frock suitable for school and general wear. A band of Tan Jersey, applied from natural linen collar to hem, is trimmed with brown buttons sewed with henna thread. Tiny tucks extending the lengths of each side of the front band complete this unusually chic model. Colors: Brick, Brown.

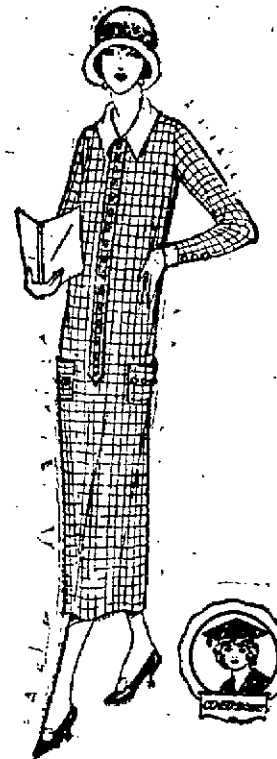
Price \$15.50



Style 678

Playing a prominent part in youthful fashions for Fall in this trim one-piece frock of check Poret Twill piped with white silk braid and finished with a pointed collar of white silk corded material. The applied piece at center-front, the sleeves and generous patch pockets are trimmed with large white ivory buttons. A belt extends across the back only. Colors Navy and White.

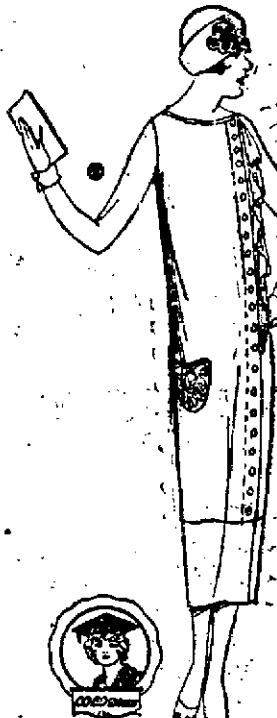
Price \$15.50



Style 810

In this simple frock of Penikees silk Bengaline slashed and closed at the left side from, the tan georgette jabot edged with lace is a smart note. Self-colored silk braid interwoven metal thread fashions the unique pointed pocket. A narrow belt of self material is attached at the side seams and ties in back. Colors: Black.

Price \$22.50



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LIFE SENTENCE IMPOSED UPON FRANKS SLAYERS

FLYERS STAY IN WASHINGTON DEFENSE DAY 99 YEAR SENTENCE

CHINESE POSTHONOR WAR ON ACCOUNT OF BIG RAIN

(By United Press)
SHANGHAI, Sept. 10.—Two thousand international troops stood guard along the boundary of the foreign settlement here while the armies of the rival Chinese war lords rested on their arms on rain soaked battlefields awaiting better weather for the resumption of hostilities. Marines have taken every precaution against emer-

DAVIS FINISHES DENVER SPEECH AT SECLUDED PARK

By FRASER EDWARDS.
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
ESTES PARK, Colo., Sept. 10.—With but one more day to remain in this quiet mountain resort retreat before starting out on the second lap of his strenuous western tour, John W. Davis, Democratic presidential candidate intended to make the most of his opportunities for recreation as well as for a little campaigning.

Davis today virtually completed the draft of his Denver speech which he will deliver from notes instead of a prepared manuscript.

The business end of his visit here having been fulfilled, the Democratic standard bearer was scheduled to play a round of golf this morning with J. M. "Bill" Nye, his personal secretary, over rocky course where every hazard is a little mountain.

In the afternoon Davis hopes to get in a horseback ride to get "close up" of the park's scenery. After his ride, Davis has promised to make a speech to the residents of the summer colony here.

Georgians Are Having Battle At The Polls

(By United Press)
ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 10.—The Ku Klux Klan figured prominently in Georgia's primaries today with former Governor Thomas W. Hardwick opposing Senator William G. Harris for the Democratic Senatorial nomination.

Although Senator Harris denied he was affiliated with the secret order, Hardwick in his campaign made the Klan the chief issue, declaring repeatedly his opponent was backed by the "invisible government."

Beyond denying membership in the Klan, Senator Harris ignored the issue and appealed for renomination solely on the strength of his record in the Senate.

Governor Clifford Walker and other leading state officials were unopposed for renomination.

Blease Is Winner In South Carolina

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 10.—Former Governor Cole L. Blease will succeed United States Senator Nathaniel Dial on the strength of virtually complete returns today from South Carolina's Democratic primary.

Blease defeated Congressman James F. Byrnes in Tuesday's runoff balloting for the Democratic senatorial nomination by approximately 2,500 votes. Senator Dial had been eliminated in a previous primary.

Blease was governor of South Carolina in 1911-15 and had been an unsuccessful candidate for senator in two previous primaries.

gencies resulting from the fighting. Despite the nearness of the fighting, the Americans and other foreign in Shanghai are confident that General Chi Hsieh Yuan will not permit their quarter to be attacked even if he captures the city. No one is greatly worried, except over the possibility of leaderless and defeated troops of General Lu's army pouring pell mell into the settlement in case of a rout.

The marines have taken every possible precaution at the barricades and strengthened the boundary's defenses at weak points.

Burk Is Visited By \$20,000 Fire

(By United Press)
BURKBURNETT, Texas, Sept. 10.—Damage estimated at \$20,000 was caused when fire believed to be of incendiary origin destroyed the Oklahoma section of the interstate bridge across Red River near here this morning. Watchmen reported the discovery of the fire simultaneously in five places. The destroyed section was built in February to replace the one washed out by floods last year.

ANTI KLAN AND KLAN FUED IS REPORTED IN PEN BOARD

(By United Press)
HUNTSVILLE, Texas, Sept. 10.—Charging that he is being made the victim of the Klan-anti-Klan feud among members of the State Prison Commission, W. N. Miller, warden of the state penitentiary, corroborated the report that he had been asked to resign October 1, and said he would comply with the request. Miller also charged that the resignation of his predecessor, I. F. Coleman, was due to the same reason and not because of his unwillingness to apply capital punishment, as was publicly announced.

American Legion Sword for Lieutenant Smith.



Porter Adams, of the Massachusetts department of the American Legion, is shown with the handsome engraved gold and steel sword bought by the Legion members for Lieutenant Lowell Smith, commander of the American Army Air Service "round-the-world" flyers.

HOP TO DAYTON IS POSTPONED UNTIL THE 13TH

(By United Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The round the world flyers hop to Dayton, O., scheduled for tomorrow was ordered deferred until Saturday by Secretary of War Weeks to enable the airmen to participate in the Defense Day.

The round-the-world fliers enjoyed a luxurious day of rest here today. The ship of the Norse pilot, forced down in a Maryland field within sight of the capitol dome yesterday by striped timing gears, was to be brought to Bolling Field today.

A new engine was sent over to Lieutenant John Harding Jr., Nelson's mechanic, and it will be installed in time to bring the ship here for an early hop off Saturday.

Heads I Win, Tails You Lose Decides Bid For Material

(By United Press)
PORT ARTHUR, Sept. 10.—A half dollar, used in the old, old, game of "heads I win, tails you lose" won a goodly number of dollars for the Port Arthur Building Material Company and lost an equal sum for a competitor.

The two concerns were bidding to supply the city commission with cement, sand and gravel. The bids were identical.

Mayor Logan of Port Arthur looked at the bids. He suggested flipping a quarter. A newspaper reporter went him one better by producing half. "Hizzoner" selected heads. The silver spun in the air and fell on the table. It was "tails." The mayor had lost.

THE WEATHER.

Texas—generally fair and cooler.

SOUTH AMERICAN OIL MEN TO BE EXPOSITION VISITORS

TULSA, Okla., Sept. 10.—The most distinguished men in the oil industry of South America, Europe and Asia will assemble in Tulsa during the International Petroleum Exposition, October 2 to 11.

Among the most celebrated European leaders are A. Serebrowsky, president of the Russian Oil Trust; Paul Ehrhardt and Andre Pellissier, of the Pechelbroun Societe, the biggest company in France; Alfred Wirth, leading German manufacturer of oil supplies; F. B. Plummer, of the Institution of Petroleum Technologists, England; officers of the Compagnia Nazionale Prodotti Petroli, Italy; representatives of two other huge German manufacturers.

The Egyptian oil interests will be represented by three of its distinguished leaders, Abd-Eljeff, El Di-franoui, Mahmoudi, Abu Yied, and El Hanouf. El Said, Fahmy, South America will send an imposing delegation of oil men and diplomatic attaches, and a large number of other Europeans will accompany the leaders.

Just Must See Her Honeyopalulapa

EL PASO, Sept. 10.—Police have shattered another budding romance and, perhaps made another girl a bit wiser in the ways of the world.

Miss Vera Baker, 19, of Abilene "borrowed" a car and drove to El Paso to visit her sweetheart. She took Alma Shepard, 13, along to "look him over." Police found them in a big car munching sandwiches supplied by two youths who they had given a lift into El Paso.

Sheriff J. T. Beard of Abilene, chaffered them home even before Miss Baker was able to see her sweetheart.

SENTENCED TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT.



Richard Loeb. (above) and Nathan Leopold, convicted and sentenced to 99 years in the penitentiary by Justice John Caverly for the murder of Robert Franks.

World News In Tabloid

AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 10.—Governor Neff declared upon his return from Huntsville that the dismissal of State Penitentiary Warden Miller was "done entirely by the Prison Commission without suggestions from him or his previous knowledge."

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Further postponement on account of wet grounds of the first international polo match between the United States and England was announced. The match is now scheduled for Saturday afternoon.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 10.—Joseph Ransdell, for twelve years United States Senator from Louisiana was renominated for the post over Mayor Leo Thomas of Shreveport in yesterday's primary. Incomplete returns indicated a majority of fifteen or twenty thousand.

HOUSTON, Texas, Sept. 10.—Declaring that he didn't want to "inject himself into that row," Jed Adams, newly elected democratic national committeeman for Texas, said he would take no action to force the resignation of Mrs. J. T. Bloodworth of Fort Worth, who was asked by the state democratic convention to resign as national committeewoman.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 10.—Former Governor Cole Blease will succeed United States Senator Nathaniel Dial on the strength of virtually complete returns in yesterday's primary. Blease was candidate for senator unsuccessfully in two previous elections.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—General Chang Tso Lin, Manchurian dictator, has started mobilization of his military forces, according to an exchange telegraph dispatch from Mukden.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 10.—Frederick H. Gillett, speaker of the House of Representatives and a member of Congress for more than twenty years was given the Republican nomination for United States Senator by the voters of Massachusetts at the primaries held yesterday, according to incomplete returns today. Returns from 19 cities and towns out of 355, Boston included, gave Gillett, 35,802 against 23,362 for Louis A. Coolidge, his nearest competitor and 18,676 for Frederick W. Dallinger.

Merchants Report Collections Are Better Than Ever

The Mexia Retail Merchants' Association held an enthusiastic meeting in the parlors of the J. I. Riddle Undertaking Company Tuesday night, at which many important matters were taken up and acted on. The business men assembled swapped experiences during the round table discussion which proved mutually helpful to all present. Merchants reporting collections stated that they were better this month than known in sometime.

Marriage License And Divorce Cases

ABILENE, Sept. 10.—The tiny archer piled up a lead of nearly four to one over the bench during the month just ended, according to the county clerk's files. Forty-three marriage licenses were issued against twelve cases filed for divorce. However, approximately twenty divorce cases have been listed for hearing in the September term of court as continuations from the July term.

ALSO IMPOSED FOR KIDNAPPING PLEA

(By United Press)
CRIMINAL COURT ROOM, Chicago, September 10.—The Leopold-Loeb murder drama concluded with startling suddenness within the space of fifteen minutes, Wednesday morning, when Justice Caverly sentenced the millionaire youths to life imprisonment for murder and ninety-nine years for kidnapping for ransom their victim Robert Franks.

The sentence constituted a complete victory for the defense whose sole fear was death sentence.

The convicted boys walked from the court room ready to start their sentences before the

motion was entered by either side. No motions are, however, forthcoming, as the state will not appeal.

Sentence of life imprisonment was imposed upon Nathan Leopold Jr. and Richard Loeb by Chief Justice John Caverly for the murder of Robert Franks.

The Justice also imposed a sentence of ninety-nine years on each charge of kidnapping for ransom. The boys pleaded guilty to both offenses.

The prisoners are scheduled to leave for the State Penitentiary under heavy guard before night.

In sentencing the boys, Caverly declared the boys admitted legal responsibility for their act but by act also demonstrated that they were abnormal, although the defense had abandoned the insanity plea in the course of the trial.

"The testimony in this case reveals a crime of singular atrocity, in sense inexplicable but not less repulsive thereby. The deed was deliberately planned and prepared and timed and executed with every feature of callousness and cruelty," Judge Caverly declared.

The Justice also declared that there was no conclusive evidence of abuse offered the body of the victim.

The youthful prisoners receive their sentences without any signs of emotion.

Loeb smiled thinly, while Leopold heard the verdict soberly.

They were then hurried from the court room lodged in jail and then placed to await the trip to Joliet.

Justice Caverly declared in his judgement:

"Since both cases, namely that of kidnapping for ransom and murder were of characters which invested the court with discretion as to punishment, by pleading guilty the boys assumed legal responsibility for the crimes. They have been shown in essential respects to be abnormal. Had they been normal they would not have committed the crime. Here the court will say not for the purpose of extenuating guilt but for dispelling misapprehensions that appear to have found lodgment in the public mind that he is convinced there was no abuse offered the body of the victim. For both crimes the law prescribes punishment and not alternative.

For murder the statutes prescribe death, life imprisonment or prison less than fourteen years. For kidnapping for ransom the statutes read death, imprisonment for life, or not less than five years."

Under the plea of guilty entered by the prisoners, the duty devolves upon the court and the law does not indicate a rule or guidance for his discretion. It would have been the lot of least resistance to impose the extreme penalty. In choosing imprisonment, instead of death, the court has been moved chiefly by a consideration of the youth of the defendant who were eighteen and nineteen.

It is not for the court to say he will not in any case enforce capital punishment as an alternative, but the court believes he is within the province of the court to decline an imposition of death sentence on persons not of full age.

"Life imprisonment may not at the moment strike the public imagination as forcibly as would death by hanging but to offenders particularly of the type the boys are prolonged suffering for years of confinement may well be the severest form of retribution and expiation. The court feels proper to add a final word concerning the effect of parole law upon the punishment of these defendants. In case of such atrocious crimes it is entirely within discretion of department public welfare never to admit these defendants to parole. To this course the court urges them to strictly adhere. If this course is preserved in the punishment of these defendants, it will satisfy both ends of justice and safeguard interests of society."

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—The disappearance of Robert Franks, 14-year-old schoolboy, was first brought to light on the evening of May 21, 1924.

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STEEL RING IS PLACED ABOUT COURTROOM

Loeb, uncle of Dickie," were accompanied by Foreman Leopold and Allan Loeb, brothers of the two slayers. They took their customary places in the court.

Clarence Darrow and Benjamin and Walter Bachrach, the defense legal staff, came at the same time. The State's attorney and his staff of assistants held a conference on another floor of the building.

Justice Caverly, surrounded by crack deputy sheriffs, passed through the halls and went directly to his chambers. He came out to the clerks a moment later, borrowed a pen and a plain pad of paper, and returned to his chambers to write the fateful words of sentence.

The Justice's face was a gray mask of mystery. He nodded but did not smile as he recognized friends in the courtroom.

The elder Leopold as he came into court, smiled wilyly in answer to questions regarding how he felt. He echoed the words of Attorney Ben Bachrach, who said:

"Well, we're in a receptive mood." A marked contrast to the days of the murder hearing there was plenty of elbow room in the courtroom. Instead of eager, curious throngs packing their way into every nook and corner, none but the principals, police, deputy sheriffs, court attaches and newspapermen were present. Instead of 80 per cent women and girls, the crowd today was composed almost entirely of men—a few girl reporters being the only women on hand.

A battery of a dozen cameras was trained on the bench and seats of the prisoners.

Nathan and Richard refused to fight their customary morning interview with newspapermen. At 9:10 they were led across the bridge from the jail to the courtroom. As they walked across the bridge, newspaper cameramen turned loose a barrage of flashlights. Richard jumped in mock fright and cried out:

"Gee, they nearly killed me."

Then he and Leopold smiled and waved their hands in greeting and walked into the bull pen, waiting there for the order to come into court.

At 9:20 State's Attorney Croyle and a coterie of assistants entered the courtroom. Croyle's shock of iron-gray hair was ruffled. He smiled an acknowledgement to greetings from anxious acquaintances. At this time Justice Caverly was still locked in his office with Chief of Detectives Hughes and other police officers guarding the door.

Darrow walked about the courtroom, chatting gaily with friends. Jacob Franks, father of the little victim, was still absent at 9:27 a. m. Samuel Ettleson, his personal attorney, took his customary seat with the State's Attorneys.

SPORTLIGHTS.

Here's sportlight's suggested motto for the Mexia Public School this year: "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

Black Cats "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

In the literary society as well as in the athletic field, "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

In every contest, students, "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

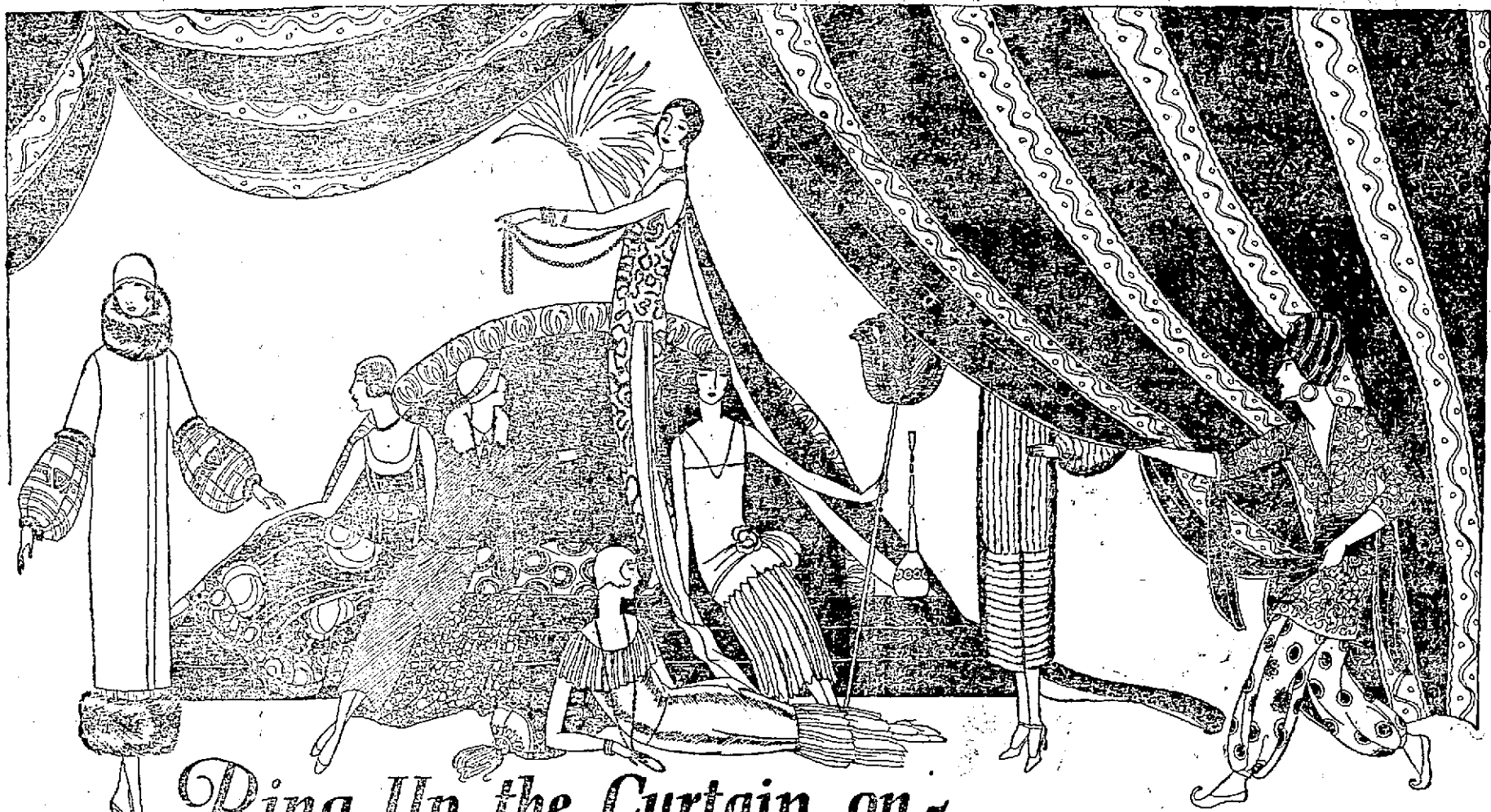
Make a name for old Mexia High this year, boys, "Fight! Fight! Fight!"

It was once the cry of old Sewanee, then that little University was the center of Southern educational institutions, "Fight! Fight! Fight!" And good one it was too. It made history there.

Catch the spirit students and at work or play, "Fight! Fight! Fight!" The Eyes of Mexia are upon you. Fight! Fight! Fight!

Mexia football fans will get to see no good teams this year. The Mexia High winning all high school contests and Westminster winning all Junior college games.

Captain Joe Potter of the West-



Ring Up the Curtain on WOMEN'S FASHIONS for FALL & WINTER

By MURIEL TOWNLEY

Slender and straight—for many a season now straight lines of youth and simplicity have been our aim. But each season has its own means of achieving this result.

We saw a few beltless frocks last summer and as though fashion, having tried them out, nodded her approval, they are to be better than ever this fall. They are exceptionally becoming, and doubtless women of taste and knowledge of dress will be enthusiastic supporters of fashion's dictum.

Another new style to be seen on many a charming new frock is the tunic. Sometimes these tunics are

only to the knee, at others they are within two or three inches of the bottom of the skirt.

So many of these tunics are worn that as might be expected there is a great variation in the details of their smartness. Some are straight and almost as tight as the underskirt. Others are quite as tight as the underskirt, and slashed up the side.

However, the most popular of all is the tunic which comes to within six or seven inches of the underskirt and varies from a little soft fullness to quite a decided circular flare.

Of course not every dress is beltless. But when a dress is worn there

is a growing tendency to make it a more important part of the costume than the little strings we have been wearing. A suede belt about four or five inches wide is quite the new

est. For sports wear these belts are seen in the brightest of reds and greens but for wear with darker frocks the whole scale of colors from dark brown to a light tan, grey and a soft green are very popular.

Skirts are definitely shorter. With the slim straight line which leads the mode today a long dress is really very ungainly and unbecoming. So charm has won and we are back once more to the youthful, practical and comfortable short skirt. This

year's skirt reaches from about six to eight inches below the knee.

Bengaline Again

This promises to be a season when silk frocks will be worn a great deal. Silk frocks in simpler modes for morning as well as afternoon wear. Bengaline and faille are the favorites. Ribbed silks are leading the mode in every possible interpretation—ribbed silk hats, ribbed silk blouses and even ribbed silk purses. We have been wearing crepe satin, flat crepe and crepe de chine for so long that we might well have forgotten there were any other silks. So these fine little ribs seem all the more charming because of their novelty.

Evening Frocks

For evening and more formal wear crepe satin will still be the most popular for there is something too in formal about ribbed silk to use it for anything but rather simple tailored modes.

We may have fibroed with dainty airy little chiffon frocks this past summer because they gave such a cool, floating look on warm summer nights. But when winter comes with its more elaborate parties metal fabrics, metal brocades and rich printed velvets interpret the evening mode.

Rich brocades and jacquards fashion many a stunning model designed for the more elaborate afternoon functions.

The popularity of the silk frock can never take away the becoming charm of the smart cloth frock—particularly for early fall. When the first fall days have a slight chill in the air how wonderfully attractive a woman looks in a smartly cut, modish dark cloth frock. It is too becoming a style to even think of

neglecting it. This fall red is seen in many stunning frocks with twill as a close second competing with it for popular favor.

Squares or Braid Used

Simplicity is the keynote of the trimmings. In many cases squares or bands of the material are used and there are rows and rows of the braid. Now and then some of the models have a lovely bit of gay colorful embroidery to relieve the monotone.

But buttons are to be seen everywhere. It hard seems, as though there could be enough buttons in the world to satisfy the demands of the smart frocks. Buttons of all types and descriptions. Buttons running from the neck to the hemline; buttons down each side from the hips to the hemline; buttons around the hemline. It almost seems as though any dress which bristles with buttons is smart.

Favored Trimmings

On more elaborate costumes embroideries in lovely soft tones, silk fringes and bandings of fur are quite the favored trimmings. The embroideries and fringes show some- bre effects, soft shading from the main tone rather than a striking contrast. The only exception to this is the use of black and white.

Lingerie collars and cuffs are in high favor. Organdie, lace and linen are to be seen becomingly trimming the neck and cuffs of many a well dressed woman's daytime frocks. It is very fortunate too for some women cannot stand the harsh neckline of a dark frock while a touch of white just works wonders in bringing out the most becoming tints of their complexion.

Yes, the sleeve has definitely returned to favor. The sleeveless frock

is now seen only for rather formal occasions. The new sleeve is long, gently tapering from the shoulder to a close fitting cuff.

The Ensemble Suit.

The newest suit is the ensemble with a long coat—a coat which reaches to within five or six inches of the bottom of the skirt. It is worn sometimes over a silk tunic blouse which is exactly the same length as the coat or over a silk dress with a narrow band of the coat material at the bottom. These suits are splendid for fall wear for when one takes off the coat one is suitably dressed in a becoming silk frock.

We Ask Men

TO PROTECT THEIR HAIR

By Edna Wallace Hopper

I speak for all women when I say that we want men to keep their looks. And above all, their hair.

The women do that. You would never forgive us if we did not. We beg you to follow our example.

My whole career on the stage has depended largely on my hair. So many years ago I went to France and secured the best hair helps she knew. And I have kept up with every new discovery.

The result is my hair as you see it. It is thick and lustrous. Photo 1923 is finer than 40 years ago. I have never had falling hair or dandruff, and never a touch of gray. Now countless women who use what I use are attaining like results.

I am offering to women the best I have found, and men are also welcome. My hair Youth combines the utmost that modern science knows. I am sure that no one knows anything of the hair which does what this combination does.

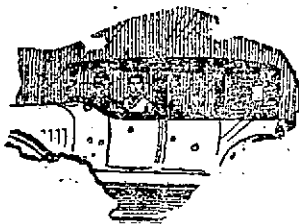
I apply it with an eye-dropper directly to the scalp. Applying tonics to the hair is ridiculous. The whole thing lies in the scalp in the roots, and there my Hair Youth goes.

It combats the hardened oil and dandruff which stifle the hair roots. It tones and stimulates the scalp. Hair thrives on such a soil as flowers thrive by like methods.

I believe that my Hair Youth now combines the greatest hair helps in existence. I have never seen anything else which brought comparable results.

Now I have placed it in every drug store, on every toilet counter. All who desire may obtain it. The name is Edna Wallace Hopper's Hair Youth. It will amaze and delight you. I authorize every dealer to return the price to anyone who claims the slightest disappointment.

Write me for my Beauty Book and I'll send with it something else to please you. Edna Wallace Hopper, 536 Lake Shore Drive, Chicago.



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Local News

S. L. Brown was here from Waco today on business.

W. R. Brewington of Hillsboro was here today.

M. A. Maxwell of Waco spent the day here today.

J. K. Adams was here from Waco today.

F. Buchanan of Hearne was in Mexia today.

E. L. George from Temple was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

W. C. Lamb was here from Navasota today.

John I. McElroy was in Dallas on business Tuesday.

B. S. SeRelle, General Manager of the Pure Oil Company here has gone to Columbus, Ohio on business.

Jack Booker left today for Dallas where he will undergo an operation on his eyes.

Chief of Police Albert Mace returned to Mexia last night after attending the funeral of his brother at Lam-pasos on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. R. J. Randolph, Miss Mary Glen Day and Miss Edna Beth Randolph of Madisonville were in Mexia shopping today.

Mrs. G. A. Walter and daughters, Mrs. Betsy and Bess have returned from a trip to California. They report a most pleasant summer.

Prayer meeting services will be held in all the local protestant churches this evening at 8:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

L. A. Ramus has resigned from the Pure Oil Company and will leave within the next few days with his family for Dallas.

Rev. J. S. Taylor was in Dallas

Tuesday, spending the day at a meeting of the Executive Board of the Baptist church and visiting the churches of that city.

Rev. J. S. Taylor is now Limestone County Baptist Missionary. He and his family have moved to this city and will make Mexia their home in the future.

Mrs. S. L. Cronis and son Stewart have arrived in Mexia from Tulsa, to join Mr. Cronis who is Manager of the land department of the Pure Oil Company here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Harper have returned from Ft. Worth, where they have been for the past ten days, spending a most profitable period of study there.

The Mexia Rotary Club will meet at its usual weekly luncheon hour at the Topic Cafe Thursday at noon. A full attendance of the membership is urged.

Mrs. Joe Jeffers is visiting her mother in Tyler, having left for that place Tuesday morning. Rev. Jeffers went on to Dallas to attend the Executive Board meeting of the Baptist church.

Too Late to Classify!

FOR RENT—One large room completely furnished for light housekeeping or suitable for sleeping room. Also 2 room unfurnished house. E. Titus Street, just off Ross. MRS. G. W. PERKINS, 408 E. Carthage St. 10L3

LOST—Between New Hope and Mexia on Teague road. Good wagon sheet. Please notify D. A. HADDICK, Route 2, Mexia.

FOR SALE—Good Jersey milk cow at a bargain if sold at once. J. L. ROWE, Allamson Leace, Pure Oil Co. 10J7

FOR RENT—Unfurnished rooms No. 233 East Main Street, two blocks north Majestic Hotel, Box 543 or Room 19, Ross & Green Bldg.

OPERA HOUSE

BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 15TH

Edna Park Players In Opening Bill

DAWN O' THE MOUNTAINS

And Now Comes
A New Addition.....?
"WATCH THIS SPACE TOMORROW"

LOCATING BODY FOR COLLEGE TO BE HERE NEXT WEEK

An inspection of the site offered by Waco as a location for the college to be built in the State by the Lutheran Missouri Synod of Texas was made Monday by trustees of the proposed college, in company with representatives of the Young Men's Business League and the Chamber of Commerce.

Members of the trustees of the institution were: Rev. H. Gaertner, Chairman, of Malone; O. Weise, Secretary of Thordale; and Dr. H. Studtman of Reisel.

Late Monday the trustees left Waco for Dallas to view the site offered by that city for the college. They will come to Mexia from that city to inspect the proposed sites here. The offices of the Chamber of Commerce here report that it will be one day next week before the committeemen arrive here.

On October 15 a joint session of the trustees and the general board of directors of the Lutheran Missouri Synod of the United States will be held in Waco. Dr. F. Pfotenhauer of Chicago is the chairman of the board of directors and he will preside at the gathering. This meeting will decide where the college will be located. Prior to the session here a vote on the location will be had from every congregation of the Lutheran Missouri Synod in Texas, and it is believed that all but two cities will have been eliminated by the time the meeting is held in Waco to select the place where the college will be located.

Prior to visiting Waco the board of trustees inspected sites offered in Austin, Temple, Marlin, Giddings and LaGrange.

One Legged Stork Looks All Right

(By United Press)
DALLAS, Sept. 10.—Hereafter the only occupant of the stork pen at the local zoo will be a one legged stork—contrary to the bird's style in attempting to fool onlookers by keeping one of the members drawn up out of sight.

The bird engaged in an argument with a cantankerous workman a few weeks ago and received a kick which broke his leg. As the result of the run-in the stork lost a leg and the workman his job.

Veterinarians are contemplating fixing the bird up with a wooden leg as soon as the stump heals from the amputation.

FOR SALE—Ford delivery car in good condition. Chevrolet touring car just like new, used four months. Everything in good condition. Less than one-half price or will trade for new model Ford truck.—Mexia Tent and Awning Co. Phone 697-W Main and Red River Streets.

News has been received here of the death in Houston of A. R. Hamblen, a well known attorney of that city and a son of the late W. P. Hamblen, Sr. The family has friends here who will regret to learn of his sudden death which was the result of heart failure Monday while he was seated at his office.

The new issue of the American Collectors magazine on sale today Pioneer News Stand. 10c

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Green's Secretary Shows Movies by Radio.



W. H. MARSHALL

Walter H. Marshall, secretary to Colonel E. H. R. Green, son of the late Betty Green and one of the world's richest men, as well as one of the greatest amateur radio bugs, demonstrated in a New York theatre motion pictures sent 60 feet by radio on a machine invented by Colonel Green, who expects to perfect the scheme within a year so that movies may be broadcast all over the country.

HOME DRESSMAKING



Effective Border Treatment
Paris applies picturesque borders of silk and cotton to the latest frocks designed for girls. This model may be carried out in any soft, pliable fabric, the border being cut in one with the front panel.

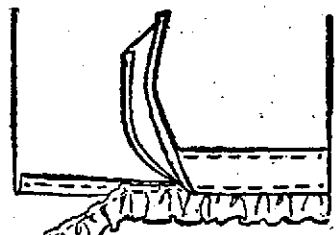
The belted frock for girls between the ages of four and ten years, stresses the straight silhouette with a slight flare at the lower edge. For its development one may employ the new wool crepes, novelty cottons, flannel or crepe de chine. The front panel is plaited at the neck and outlined with a tiny frill of the dress material. This frill extends around the top of the figured border and reappears on the round neck and the short, kimono sleeves.

For a girl of eight or ten years, the dress calls for 1 1/2 yards of plain material 36 or 40 inches wide and 1 1/2 yards of figured goods. The model offers many possibilities of development. If designed as a party frock,

It could be developed in crepe Georgette with lace or embroidery taking the place of the figured material as a trimming.

The diagram shows how the lower edge of the sleeve is finished with the ruffle and facing. First turn under the lower edge of the sleeve about three-eighths of an inch, then baste. Take the frill, which is made of a narrow strip of the dress material and carefully gathered, and baste the center of the frill to the center of the top of the sleeve. Distribute the gathers of the frill as evenly as possible and baste to the lower edge of the sleeve.

Next take a bias fold of the material, if there is no seam binding at hand, and turn under both edges and either press or baste. This facing is then basted to the lower edge of the sleeve, over the frill, as shown in the diagram. After basting, hem



Finishing Sleeve with Ruffle and Facing

with very fine stitches, which must not show through to the right side. Fashion has yielded somewhat in the matter of materials approved for the development of children's frocks and will sponsor velvet in this connection during the fall and winter. Dark backgrounds, such as brown, slate gray, plum, dark blue and deep beige are traced with lines of black, dark or brilliant hue to produce novel color schemes for girls' dresses made of velvet and velveteen.

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Tune In Time—Central Standard Time

Central Standard Time.
By DAISY MAYES.
6:00 to 7:00 p. m.
KYW, 6:00 to 6:30 Dinner concert.
WDAR, 6:00 Conversation corner.
KGO, 6:00 to 7:30 Concert orchestra.
WDAF, 6:00 to 7:00 School of the Air.
WCX, 7:00 Musical program.
WOO, 6:15 Organ recital.
KYW, 6:30 to 7:00 Program.
KPO, 6:30 to 7:30 Fairmont Hotel orchestra.
7:00 to 8:00 p. m.
KSD, 7:00 Abergh's concert ensemble.
WOO, 7:00 WOO orchestra.
WHB, 7:00 to 8:00 Guitar solos; address; instrumental trio.
WLW, 7:00 Virginia entertainers.
KYW, 7:00 to 7:30 Musical program.
WWJ, 7:30 Detroit News orchestra.
WCAE, 7:30 Musical program.
KYW, 7:30 to 8:45 Stage review.
WHAS, 7:30 to 9:00 Concert.
8:00 to 9:00 p. m.
WOS, 8:00 Agricultural address.
WOC, 8:00 Organ recital, baritone.
WDAF, 8:00 to 9:15 Program, federated music clubs.
KHJ, 8:00 to 8:30 Hickman's orchestra.
WOS, 8:00 Dance orchestra.

WASB, 8:00 Election returns.
WLW, 8:00 Music.
WDAR, 8:00 Dance orchestra.
WOS, 8:20 Musical program.
KFSG, 8:30 to 9:30 Gray studio program.
KHJ, 8:30 to 9:30 Children's hour.
KYW, 8:45 to 9:00 Music.
KFI, 8:45 to 9:30 Vocal concert.
9:00 to 10:00 p. m.
KPO, 9:00 to 9:30 Seiger's orchestra.
KFI, 9:30 to 10:00 "Mammy" Simmons.
KYW, 9:45 to 12:00 Midnight revue.
10:00 to 11:00 p. m.
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KGW, 10:00 Concert by violinist.
KFI, 10:00 to 11:00 Evening Herald, surprise night.
KPO, 10:00 to 1:00 a. m. Versatile Lane.
KHJ, 10:30 to 12:00 Concert.
WDAF, 11:45 Nighthawk frolic.

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Prince Gets Kick Out Of U. S. Trip

(By United Press)
SYOSSET, L. I., N. Y., Sept. 9.—Recovered from his first American mishap—a blow in the eye from a clod kicked up by a polo pony—the Prince of Wales looked forward eagerly today to witnessing the first of the international polo matches at Meadowbrook.

Physicians stated that the injury to the Royal optic was not serious and the Prince refused to allow it to interfere with his dancing last night.

H. R. H. will root for the British four, who are almost hopeless long shots in the betting on the first match. He will sit in the official box of the United States Polo Association with his aide, Major Metcalfe, Secretary Weeks, General Pershing, Sir Esme Howard and Lady Howard, Hon. Harland F. Stone and Mrs. Stone,

Mrs. Stone, Hon. Henry C. Wallace and Mrs. Wallace, Herbert Hoover and Mrs. Hoover, Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Roosevelt and a number of his society friends.

"DAWN OF THE MOUNTAINS"
The new four act drama by DeWitt Newing, has created considerable of a furore in the stock theatres of the country where it is being produced. Mr. Newing has laid his scenes in the mountains of Virginia, his characters are the strong willed mountaineers whose first idea is to shoot the "furriner," as they call the men of the East, and then to talk with them. As a worthy successor of "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," Mr. Newing's play is a decided success. The week of Sept. 15th will see its production at the Opera House for 3 days.

October Comopolitan cut today, Pioneer News Stand. 10c

ROYAL ARCH MASONS CALLED MEET TONIGHT

There will be a called meeting of Mexia Chapter No. 131, Royal Arch Masons, tonight for work in the M. M. and P. M. degrees. Visitors are always welcome.

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Each \$1
—One lot of men's shirts, collar attached and neckband, very specially priced for this one day event at each— \$1
Men's Summer Unions
3 for \$1
—Men's summer union suits, made of nainsook and worth 50c per suit, Thursday only at 3 for— \$1
Ladies' Silk Hose
Pair \$1
—We are offering for tomorrow's selling several dozen pairs of ladies' silk hose in all colors at 2 pair for— \$1
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8 Yards \$1
—15c value, specially priced for Dollar Day at 8 yards— \$1
Dress Crepe
2 Yards \$1
—One lot of 36 inch dress crepe, our 65c grade placed on sale Thursday at 2 yards for— \$1
Table Damask
2 Yards \$1
—One lot of all white 60 inch table damask, our 75c grade, tomorrow very special at 2 yds for— \$1
Long Cloth
5 Yards \$1
—One lot of 36-inch long cloth, our 25c value, tomorrow very special at 5 yards for— \$1
Petticoats
Each \$1
—One lot of fancy petticoats in all colors, our \$1.50 value, going in our Dollar Day sale at each— \$1
Dress Gingham
6 Yards \$1
—One lot of 27 inch dress gingham, our 19c value, tomorrow special— \$1 ly priced at 6 yards for— \$1
Dress Gingham
5 Yards \$1
—One lot of 32 inch dress gingham, our 25c grade placed on sale for Dollar Day at 5 yards for— \$1
Imperial Chambrey
3 Yards \$1
—Very beautiful in colors and quality, our 39c grade, tomorrow only 3 yards— \$1
Ever Fast Suiting
2 Yards \$1
—Tomorrow we offer our Everfast Suiting in all colors, 36 inches wide, special at 2 yards for— \$1 | Imported French Gingham
3 Yards \$1
—One lot of 32 inch imported French Gingham in a beautiful range of colors and patterns, our 50c grade, at the special price of 3— \$1 yards for— \$1
Cotton Crepe
4 Yards \$1
—Just what you want for making undergarments. Very soft and of an excellent quality. Specially priced at 4 yards for— \$1
Sateen
2 Yards \$1
—We are offering this 36 inch striped sateen in all desirable colors, regularly selling at 65c per yard, special price of 2 yards for— \$1
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Pillow Cases
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"Life is a mirror of king and slave;
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And the world will give back to you."

THE WAY TO PROSPERITY POINTED OUT

J. W. Stubenrauch has again written and the words of personal experience and suggestions based on his unselfish observation are well worth the serious consideration of every member of the Mexia Chamber of Commerce. Hardy Eubanks, President of the Mexia commercial organization thinks so; every director down in his heart thinks so; and, Mexia merchants will know so, if they get down to brass tacks, see all the cards that Mr. Stubenrauch has placed frankly and openly on the table and then when enough people who are anxious for prosperity and happiness to come to the masses of hard working toiling citizens call a spade a spade as he has done, there will be results that will cause our fields to blossom with greater plenty and grand old Limestone County will go marching on.

In his recent letter, Mr. Stubenrauch has called attention once more to the 'Gold Mines of Tehuacana' represented in the Limestone hills of that historical home of the Blue Bonnet and nature's choicest fertilizer, Lime. It is hoped that Agent F. P. Huchingson, who is also a Director of the Mexia Chamber of Commerce will bring his open letter to the eye of W. R. Scott of the Southern Pacific lines. Cooperation here then extended Mr. Scott may get results, the benefits of which will be generally distributed throughout this part of Texas.

Mr. Stubenrauch has also called attention to the need in Limestone County of a Demonstration Agent and of County Farm Agents.

Practically every prosperous county in Texas has tried out county demonstration and county farm agents and have found the experiments a most wise investment. Limestone county would find the experiment equally advantageous to the toiling and needy farmers and children of the farmers of this section. There is no doubt about that.

To bring about a realization of this hope that he has cherished so long, a hope joined in by scores of other influential and intelligent farmers in the county, he has offered the worthy suggestion that the Chamber of Commerce and Women's clubs take the matter in hand and stress the need before the proper authorities.

The proper authorities are the members of the Commissioners Court. These commissioners and County Judge Kil have been chosen to represent the people for the coming 2 years, and they no doubt will be glad to respond to the wishes of the people concerned in this instance.

The farmers can help and if enough of them appeal for action like Mr. Stubenrauch has appealed so forcefully and so frequently, then the Chamber of Commerce at Mexia, the Chamber of Commerce at Groesbeck and the commercial clubs of the other towns of the county may expect a response in the direction pointed out.

The women, too, as Mr. Stubenrauch suggests, may do a most effective work. Clubs of ladies wherever organized, civic, community, social literacy or for mutual help, all of whom realize that the girls of today are to be the women of tomorrow, should arouse themselves just as they have done in scores of Texas counties and appeal for aid for the girls by securing a Demonstration Agent for the county.

Not all the boys and girls of the field and farm will be given an opportunity to attend A. and M. and C. I. A. but they all may receive the benefit of the knowledge which those institutions are imparting by and through these agents who bring and apply the training of these institutions into every farm home and to every farm.

What will you do about it?

We've gone this long in grand old Limestone without raising as much poultry and poultry produce as we consume, but it's never too late to do good. As long as life there is hope. Noah Webster learned seventeen languages after he was 50

years of age; Vanderbilt built the great American railroad system after he was 70; Gladstone never reached the height of his great power until he was 80; Titan did not paint his masterpiece until he was 98; and Henry Ford of our own day was never heard of until he was beyond life's noonday.

THE EDITORIAL OF THE DAY

ALBERT A. WORTHAM.

(Corsicana Sun.)

Albert A. Wortham, for more than 22 years editor of the Daily Sun, is dead.

These words carried with them a great sense of sorrow and loss to many in Corsicana when they were passed from lip to lip early Saturday. And while the city as a whole and the entire citizenship, will miss him and mourn his passing, the places where he will be missed with a keener sense of loss and with a greater knowledge of his real worth and splendid character will be in his home and in the Sun office, where he has labored and spread sunshine for so many years.

Albert Wortham was a real man—a man in all that the word implies—a gentleman—for what better definition can there be of a gentleman than the two words—gentle man. No man possessed a nobler or more gentle nature. He was honest, conscientious and square in all his dealing with his fellow man. He gave much and was satisfied with little in return. He was of a kind and sunny disposition, and though he might be troubled in his mind at the time the friend whom he met would never know other than that life was one sweet song, for he was ever an optimist. No man appreciated more a kind word or a thoughtful deed. His heart was big—so big that it embraced all mankind in its

great love of humanity. There was no room for other than love. Hatred could never abide there. In all the perplexities of life and the vexations that come to a newspaper editor, probably more than to the average man, he maintained the same sunny view of life and of his fellow man. Even in the days of his last illness when mayhap his body was racked with pain, his co-workers were each day greeted with the same happy smile, the same appreciative pat on the back as if he were in perfect health.

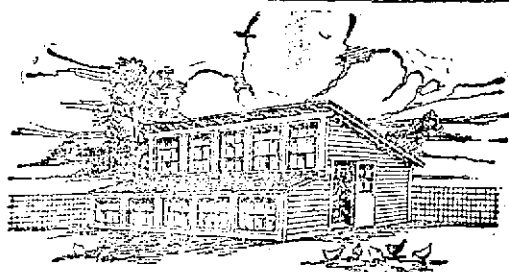
One outstanding trait of his character was his generosity. No man ever came to him in need that he was not succored. In fact he was generous to a fault and would help those whom others refused, believing that there was good in everyone and that perhaps his assistance might be the

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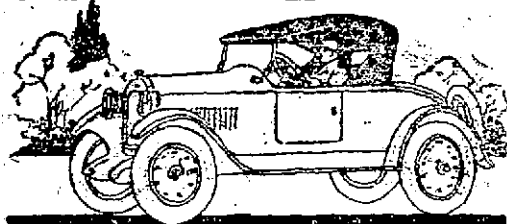
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DEATH SENTENCE IS FORESEEN BY GAMBLERS IN CHICAGO

(By United Press)
CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—Betting odds in Loop gambling clubs favor a sentence of hanging for Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb for their murder of Bobby Franks, it was learned today. Many thousands of dollars have been wagered on the possible sentences to be meted out by Justice John R. Caverly tomorrow.

About a wee kago when the first bets were made, the odds were as high as three to one that Nathan and Richard would be sentenced to death. The odds have gone down steadily until today the betting is five to four that Justice Caverly will sentence them the gallows. A large sum of money has been wagered at these odds that the boys hang.

Betting on the possibility of life in prison is at even money.

Big odds on a lesser sentence, 14 years or more, are offered, but with few takers.

Small bets were recorded on the chance that Justice Caverly will shift the responsibility from his shoulders by placing the sanity of the youths before a jury.

With the hour of sentence only 24 hours away Nathan and Richard appear to be the same complacent young men who yawned and laughed their way through the five weeks of the grueling murder hearing.

"What's the use of worrying?" asked Leopold the philosopher and fatalist.

"Sure, what's the use," Loeb echoed.

With Watson Webb, the peerless Tommy itchecock, Malcolm Stevenson and Captain Devereaux Milburn all in tiptop shape and forming a combination which man for man outranks the invaders, America should win this first of three matches for the challenge trophy by a margin of ten goals.

The local market reports the arrival of vast quantities of carrots and winter spinach. All of which goes to show that when the people are not pestered by political hysteria, it's something else.

Our Clearance Sale of spring and summer merchandise is still going on, and will continue for ten days. Every article in stock is reduced. See our windows for novelties priced at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. McSwane Flower & Gift Shop.

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SEYMOUR PARKER GILBERT, JR.

Seymour Parker Gilbert, Jr., attorney, of Bloomington, N. J., and Washington, has been appointed Agent General of Reparations under the Dawes plan, succeeding Owen D. Young, who will retire within a few months. Mr. Gilbert formerly was Under Secretary of the Treasury, and established an enviable reputation as a world financier, winning Secretary Mellon's heartiest approval.

CARPENTERS.

Every day we read in our live little Mexia Daily News of different advertisements in regards to the "buy it made in Mexia" and buy it in Mexia slogan. There are about 100 union men in Mexia that own homes and pay taxes in Mexia but never the less they did not get a chance to help construct the Cotton Mill which is being constructed in our city. Dallas men are imported to do this work whose families live in Dallas and do not contribute anything to the building of our city. We feel that we were not done right in the matter and want it brought to the attention of the Citizens of Mexia.

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AMERICA'S HARD RIDING FOUR FAVORITES FOR CUP

By FRANK GETTY
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
MEADOWBROOK CLUB, Westbury, L. I., Sept. 9.—America's hard riding, hard-hitting polo four were overwhelming favorites for the first of the international challenge cup matches with Great Britain today.

Overcast skies that threatened rain shadowed the firm green turf between the towering blue stands from the Prince of Wales and some 40,000 spectators will witness this classic of international sport at 4 p. m.

Nothing short of a steady downpour will be permitted to interrupt the match, however.

Heavily handicapped by the loss of their champion, Louis Lacey, the British four were hopeful of overcoming the odds and springing a surprise as another outclassed British team did in 1914. But it was a faint hope in the opinion of sportsmen.

Armistead Resigns Highway Commission

(By United Press)
AUSTIN, Texas, Sept. 9.—Governor Neff has accepted the resignation of George Armistead of San Antonio as member of the State Highway Commission. Armistead will give his time to journalism.

Marcus Corley spent the day in Waco Tuesday.

Republic of Ecuador Has New President.



DR. G. S. CORDOVA

Dr. Gonzalo S. Cordova has just been elected President of the Republic of Ecuador.

The evident admiration of a strange man makes a girl almost as indignant as his failure to notice her.

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FIFTY YEARS IN MEXIA

GENERAL FU TO DIRECT FIGHT IN SHANGHAI WAR ZONE

(By United Press)
LONDON, Sept. 9.—Reports from all Chinese battlefronts today and from headquarters of the rival war lords of the North who are preparing to enter the fray indicated that General civil war followed immediately upon the martial declarations of the Manchurian chieftain Chang Tso Lin. Gen. Wu Pei Fu, leader of the Chih party, arrived at the Liu Ho battlefield before Shanghai to direct personally the assault of Chi Hsieh Yuan's forces upon the city.

Learning this, Chang Tso Lin sent word that he would kill Wu Pei Fu and also President Tsao Kun of the Peking Government.

Another powerful lord, Sun Yat Sen is sending large numbers of troops Northward to Shanghai.

General Lu is reported to have received a check for 400,000 pounds sterling from Chang Tso Lin as an evidence of the latter's entry into the conflict.

Thus Chang Tso Lin and Sun Yat Sen, powerful leaders of the north and south, have aligned themselves with Lu Yung Hsiang at a moment when reports from the Shanghai battlefields indicate he has met with severe defeat.

Gen. Wu Pei Fu and President Tsao Kun, of Peking are backing eGu. Chi. Le's rival.

Gubberdigger Wants Texas Girl

FT. WORTH, Sept. 9.—Herman Kline of Ft. Denning, Ga., is very eager to get in touch with some of Texas' famed girls, according to a letter received here by Mayor F. L. Cockrell a few days before "Kizzoner" left for Fulton, Mo., to take over the presidency of William Woods College.

The mayor did not indicate whether he would carry the plea along with him for delivery to the girls at William Woods or not. But it is certain that he didn't but for Herman here, for he didn't have time before catching a rattler.

BERLIN IS HIT HARDEST BY GERMAN CRIME WAVE

(By International News Service)
BERLIN, Sept. 9.—Berlin was hit hardest by the German crime wave. During the last year no less than a hundred thousand crimes have been brought to the notice of the Berlin

MEN WHO FIGURE IN NEWS SPOT LIGHT.



Above: SAMMY RZEZEWSKI & CHARLES A. STONEHAM
Below: GENERAL PERSHING & PAUL PAINLEVE

Paul Painleve, President of the French Chamber of Deputies, the most forgetful man in France, was about to return from Havre to Paris when he discovered his trunk was missing. A fifteen minute search failed to locate it. Then he remembered he hadn't brought one. General John J. Pershing, retiring as field commander-in-chief of the American armies, has refused offers to manage a "Buffalo Bill" show or to enter the movies. Charles A. Stoneham, owner of the New York Giants, will go on trial on September 20 for alleged conspiracy to use the mails to defraud in stock transactions. Sammy Rzezewski, of Detroit, chess prodigy, defeated Julius Rosenberg, Chicago millionaire philanthropist, who will now defray all the child's expenses in studying to be a Hebrew theologian.

police, according to statistics issued by Berlin Police Headquarters. Half of all cases are thefts of various shades. Police returns of 1923 show an alarming increase of crimes against 1922 reports.

The increase of crimes in 1923 is attributed to the demoralizing effect of the inflation period, which reached its climax in the preceding year. It is generally assumed that, with the return to normal currency and decreasing unemployment law-breaking cases will be considerably reduced.

C. A. Puckett is a business visitor to Groesbeck today.

NOTICE.

The real estate, livestock, farm implements, etc., belonging to the estate of Mr. J. L. Cogdell, deceased, will be offered for sale, and bids or proposals for purchase of same, or any part thereof, will be received by the undersigned until November 1st, 1924. This estate consists of 1,221 acres of land situated about six miles west of Mexia, 16 head of cattle, and 42 head of mules and various farm implements. This property can be inspected by anyone who is interested.

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VIEWS SWAPPED REGARDING THE CHINESE FUED

By LLOYD ALLEN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
LONDON, Sept. 9.—The governments of the United States have begun preliminary exchange of views regarding the Chinese crisis, according to information from a reliable source.

The possibility of concerted international action to prevent general civil war in China is being discussed. Prime Minister MacDonald soon will devote his personal attention to the problem. Meanwhile Britain's Oriental experts are emphasizing the extreme difficulty of intervention.

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Convocation of a round table conference of rival Chinese war lords is agreed possible. It is pointed out that armed intervention would be politically haborous from an Anglo-American viewpoint, because Japan's proximity and strength would give her a preponderant role, one which the other powers, especially the British and Americans, would find it difficult to curb and control.

NOTICE.

All persons or firms who may have claims against the estate of J. L. Cogdell, deceased, will please file their claim, stating the nature of same and the amount thereof with the undersigned by November 1st, 1924.

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STEALS PALM TREES.

(By International News Service.)
LOS ANGELES Sept. 9.—T. Moriwaki admired the palm trees in his neighbor's yard. Now he is serving six months in jail for stealing six of the trees.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Mackey and two daughters are on their vacation which they are spending in Toronto, Canada. Mr. Mackey is cashier at the T. & B. V. offices.

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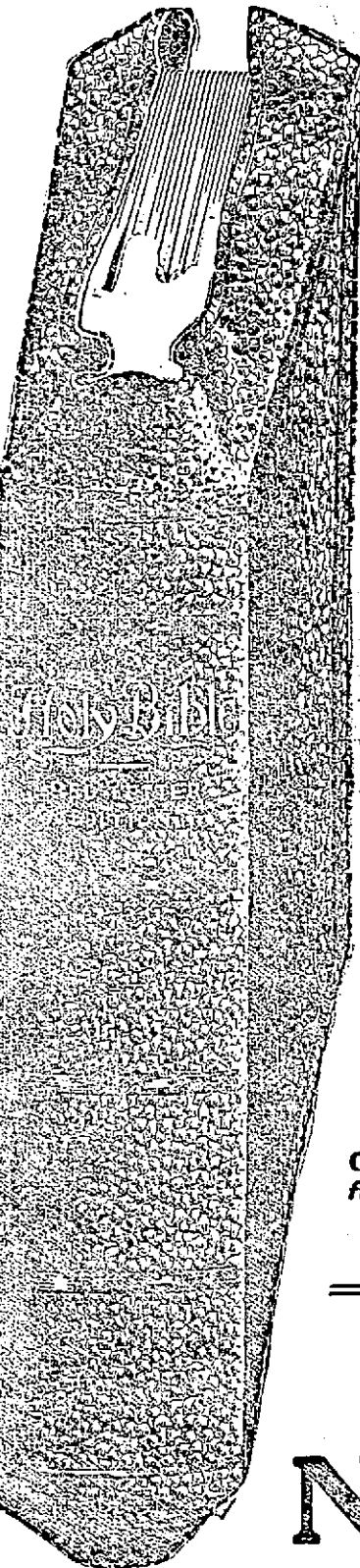
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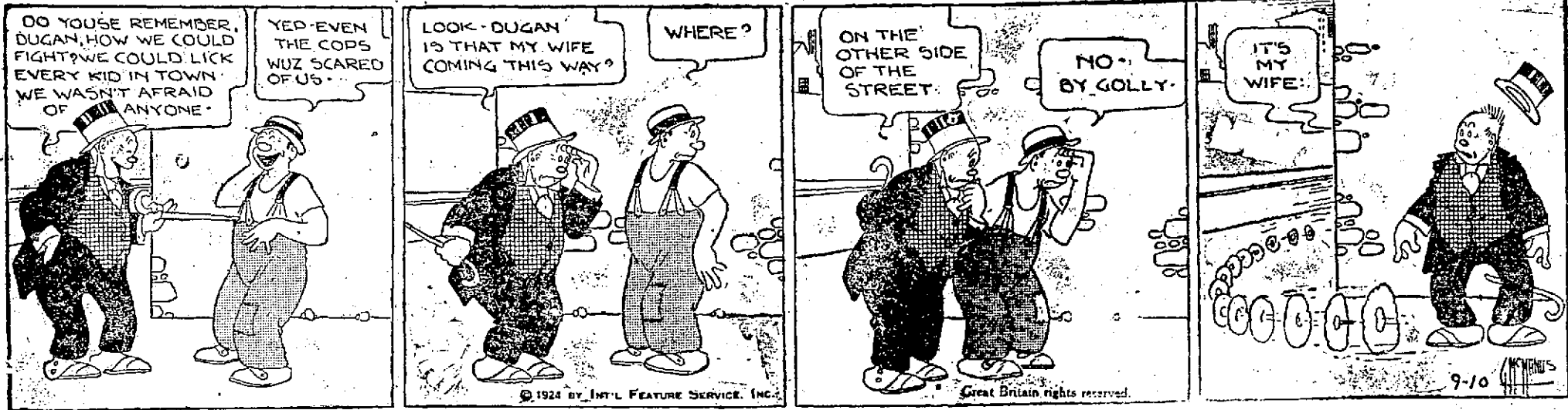
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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Limestone County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Harry Young and wife, Sarah E. Young, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county if there be a newspaper published there, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Limestone County 87th Judicial District, to be held at the courthouse thereof in Groesbeck, on the first Monday in November, 1924, the same being the 3rd day of November, 1924, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 4th day of August, A.D., 1924, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 4701-B, wherein Eliga Carter is plaintiff, and Harry Young and Sarah E. Young are defendants, said petition alleging that heretofore to wit on or about the first day of September 1922, the Defendants made, executed and delivered to plaintiff their joint promissory note for the sum of Fifteen Hundred Thirty and Forty Eight Hundredths Dollars (\$1530.48) due and payable in monthly installments of Twenty five (\$25.) Dollars each, the first installment being due and payable on or before the first day of October, 1922, and one installment to become due and payable on or before the first day of each succeeding month thereafter until the whole principal sum and interest is paid; said note being payable to the order of the plaintiff at the rate of 10% per annum from date until paid, and stipulating for 10% of the amount of the principal and interest then due as attorney's fees in case suit is brought on same or is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, whereby the Defendants and each of them became bound and liable to pay and promise to pay to plaintiff the sum of money in said note specified, together with all interest and attorney's fees due thereon according to the tenor and effect thereof.

Said note was given for a part of the purchase money of the following described real estate and premises situated in the city of Mexia, Limestone County, Texas, to-wit: Lot 3 in sub-division A in Division 41, as shown by the Recorded Map of the City of Mexia, Texas. That said property was heretofore to-wit on the first day of September, 1922, conveyed by plaintiff to Defendants by his deed of writing of that date, in consideration, among other things, of the note herein described, and that in said deed of conveyance a lien was reserved thereon to secure the payment of said note, that said note and the installments thereon are due and unpaid, the last installment amounting to Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars having been paid on or about June 1st, 1923, and no other payments or installments have been made since that time by the Defendants or either of them, or by any one

on their behalf, tho often requested so to make such payments.

The said note has been placed in the hands of W. T. Church, attorney, for collection, and plaintiff has contracted to pay him 10% attorney's fees stipulated therein, the same being the reasonable and usual and customary fee.

Wherefore, the plaintiff prays the court that the Defendants and each of them be cited to appear and answer this petition, that he have judgement for his debt, interest, attorney's fees and costs of suit, and for the foreclosure of his lien on the above described land and premises, and the same be decreed to be sold according to law; that the sheriff or other officer executing said order of sale, shall place the purchaser of said property sold under said order of sale in possession thereof, within thirty (30) days after the day of the sale and for such other and further relief special and general, in law and in equity, that he may be justly entitled to, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness Johnson Wakefield, Clerk of the District Court of Limestone County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in the city of Groesbeck, this the 9 day of Sept., A. D. 1924.

(Seal)
A true copy I certify.
Whit Popejoy
Sheriff Limestone County, Texas
M. P. Harris, Deputy.
(10-17-24-1)

The New York World says Nominee Davis "steps out several leagues in advance of the democratic platform." Well, he has to, to get anywhere.

OIL

(These quotations are based on prices paid by purchasing companies in Dallas, revised daily.)

Midcontinent.
Below 30 gravity \$1.10
30 to 32.9 gravity 1.25
33 gravity and above 1.50
Magnolia prices:
Below 28 gravity \$.90
28 to 30.9 gravity 1.00
31 to 32.9 gravity 1.10
33 and above 1.25

North Central Texas.
Corsicana light 1.50
Corsicana heavy 1.00
Thrall 1.00
Mexico 1.50
Currie 1.50
Powell 1.50
Magnolia prices:
Corsicana light \$1.25
Corsicana heavy90
Mexico 1.25
Moran 1.25
Currie 1.25

East Texas.
Nacogdoches shallow \$2.00
Premium of 50 cents a barrel over price of Texas Coastal crude. A crude posted for Nacogdoches shallow by Yuba Refining Company.
Below 33 gravity \$1.15
33 to 35.9 gravity 1.40
36 to 38.9 gravity 1.60
39 gravity and above 1.75

Somebody bump into you and bend your fender or body. No need buying a new one. Just bring it Pat F. Hopkins Wheel and Body Works on West Milam St. Phone 725.

Mirando75
Luling90
Rockdale-Minerva 1.60
Above 39 gravity 1.80
Gulf Coast.
Grade A \$1.50
Grade B 1.30

NORTH AND CENTRAL TEXAS.
North Texas— Aug. 2 July 26
Burkburnett 19,450 19,150
Electra 20,750 21,450
Iowa Park & K-M-A 4,850 4,950
Petrolia 350 350
Archer County 29,200 30,450
Total, North Texas 74,600 76,350

Central Texas—
Stephens County 19,350 20,100
Ranger (Eastland) 6,950 6,950
Desdemona 4,000 4,000
Young County 4,150 4,150
Mexico 27,590 28,300
Currie 3,300 3,400
Richland 14,900 16,500
Corsicana-Powell 82,400 82,400
Corsicana, heavy 650 650
Strawn 1,350 1,350
Moran 1,750 1,750
All others 10,000 10,050

Total, Cen. Texas 176,300 179,600
Total, North and Central Texas 250,900 255,950
*Richland not previously reported.
Louisiana-Arkansas.
Caddo.
28 gravity and above \$1.60

35 to 37.9 gravity 1.50
32 to 34.9 gravity 1.40
Below 32 gravity 1.25
Homer.
35 gravity and above \$1.60
33 to 34.9 gravity 1.50
33 to 34.9 gravity 1.40
Below 31 gravity 1.25

Haynesville.
33 gravity and above \$1.50
Below 33 gravity 1.40

Bull Bayou.
38 gravity and above \$1.55
35 to 37.9 gravity 1.40
32 to 34.9 gravity 1.25
De Soto crude 1.60
Crichton 1.40
Bellevue 1.50

Smackover.
26 gravity and above \$1.05
25 to 25.9 gravity80
Below 24 gravity70

Stephens District.
Atlantic.
23 gravity and above \$1.60
Below 33 gravity 1.50
El Dorado east field70
El Dorado.

Posted by Atlantic Oil Company:
28 gravity and above 60 deg \$1.15
26 to 27.9 gravity at 60 deg 1.10
23 to 25.9 gravity at 60 deg95
Below 23 gravity at 60 deg75

Eastern States.
New Work Transit \$3.25
Bradford, Pa. 3.25
Other Pennsylvania grades 3.00
Cabel 1.60
Ragland 1.00
Corning 1.90
Somerset medium 1.70
Somerset light 1.55

B. & T. C.
EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M. JUNE 17th.
North bound—
45 From cut-off 1:47 p. m.
16 Dallas Ft. Worth 3:44 p. m.
31 Dallas Ft. Worth 12:50 p. m.
37 Dallas Ft. Worth 5:14 a. m.
17 Dallas Ft. Worth 4:35 a. m.
19 Dallas Ft. Worth 3:55 a. m.

South bound—
46 To cut-off 7:00 a. m.
16 Houston San Antonio 11:45 a. m.
32 From Dallas 10:08 a. m.
38 Austin San Antonio 12:21 a. m.
18 Houston San Antonio 1:37 a. m.
26 Houston San Antonio 12:16 a. m.

T. & B. V.
North.
No. 8—3:25 p. m.
South.
No. 7—12:55 p. m.

526 ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE

10 miles southeast of Mexia and 2 miles east of Fallon. 75 acres in cultivation, black land, and worth \$150 per acre. Dwelling, barns, plenty of running water and wells. 250 acres fenced with net wire and 150 acres fenced for cow pasture. Not leased for oil or gas. Will sell the 526 acres including farm implements and teams for \$20 per acre. See—
Also one 5-room house and lot on E. Palestine St.

L. T. Knox at Knox Service Station in Mexia or J. W. Sims, 731 East Palestine Street, Mexia.

Easy wisdom!

HERE'S a simpyle rule for learning about everything modern.

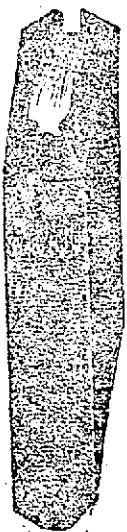
All you need do is turn a few illustrated pages and run your eye over entertaining reading. You glean all the facts you must cope with daily. How to dress correctly, furnish your home, prepare and serve food, maintain health, recognize the best in music, literature, art; enjoy ingenuities that make life easy and pleasant.

Intimate news in advertisements touch every modern phase. Their friendly chats interest, assist. As sharer in modern comforts, you can't afford to miss them. Since you buy anyway, why not buy the best?

You'll find advertisements a generous help. They are authorities about everything that touches your daily life.

You can depend on advertised goods—a sound reason for reading advertisements.

The Mexia Daily News BIBLE COUPON



Two distinct styles of this wonderful Book of Books have been adopted for this great newspaper Bible distribution. One is the far-famed Red Letter Bible (Christ's sayings printed in red for immediate identification), and the Black Print Bible for those who prefer that style.

Only Three Coupons and the Mere Nominal Cost of Manufacture and Distribution

Clip this coupon and two others and present or mail them to this paper with the sum not opposite either style and come into possession of your Book of Books at once.

Style A—Red Letter Bible, over-lapping limp seal grain cover, red edges, round corners, gold lettering, large, clear print, \$1.98
Style B—Black Print Bible, flush limp black seal grain cover, red edges, medium large type, straight and durable, three coupons 98c

Mail Orders: Send amount for Style A or Style B, with three of these coupons, and include 12 cents additional for postage and packing.

Every Reader Should Have a New Bible

The Mexia Daily News

LIFE SENTENCE IS IMPOSED ON SLAYERS

(Continued from Page One)

when Jacob Franks, Robert's father, reported to police that his son had not returned home from school.

Later that same evening Franks received a telephone call from a man who said he was "George Johnson," instructing him how to proceed in finding little Robert. The next morning's mail brought a letter which gave more complete instructions. Both the telephone call and the letter assured Franks that his son was safe and was being held for the \$10,000 which his kidnappers were demanding.

On the morning of May 22—about 18 hours after Robert disappeared—a railroad worker found the nude body of a boy, partly covered with water, lying under a railroad culvert near the southern city limits. Police were at once notified and Franks was called to the morgue. He identified the body as that of Robert. Robert had been beaten to death with a chisel.

An intensive search for the slaver was started at once. Two people said they saw a man loitering around the Harvard private school which Robert attended on the afternoon he disappeared. This man was said to have been driving up and down the street in an automobile.

The wealth and social position of the Franks family—Franks is said to be many times a millionaire—gave the case great notoriety.

Several instructors at the Harvard school were held in custody for a number of days on suspicion that they knew of or were connected with the murder.

Not until a week after the boy was murdered were Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, both sons of millionaires and both precocious college graduates, arrested and held in connection with the crime. Leopold was traced by means of a pair of horn rimmed spectacles which were found near the lonely culvert.

Leopold and Loeb stoutly denied any knowledge of the crime. Leopold said he must have dropped the glasses while on a bird hunt in that vicinity. He said he was a student of ornithology and had often visited the culvert. Both boys gave apparently substantial alibis. They told of driving in Leopold's automobile on the afternoon and evening of the murder, of "picking up" two girls, and of dining and drinking at a notorious cabaret.

Then Sven Englund, the Leopold chauffeur was called in. He told State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe the machine named by the boys was in the Leopold garage on the day of the crime.

Loeb Confessed First. Confronted with their shattered alibi, Loeb was the first to break. He made a full confession, implicating Leopold. Leopold quite calmly made a similar confession when he was told his companion had broken down.

The amazing confessions of the two young intellectuals, in which they admitted there was no motive for the crime except "the adventure of it," were given attaches of the state's attorney's office as dawn was breaking on the morning of May 31. They told of the boys' desire to commit the "perfect crime," of their longing for a thrill, of their careful plans, of their search for a victim, and finally of how they enticed Robert Franks into a rented automobile, beat him over the head with a chisel, took the body to a remote place on the south side, undressed it, poured acid on the face to prevent identification, hid the body under the culvert, and then addressed the ransom letter to the victim's father.

Unique Ransom Plan. Their plan for collecting the \$10,000 ransom in itself was unique. Franks was to place the money in a cigar box, board a certain train on a certain day, sit in a specified seat, find a further note of instructions in a telegraph blank receptacle, proceed to the rear of the platform of the train and when he reached a specified advertising sign some distance from Chicago was to throw the money off. The boys planned to be waiting nearby, seize the package and escape. They planned a trip to Europe. Franks was preparing to follow these instructions when he found his son had been slain.

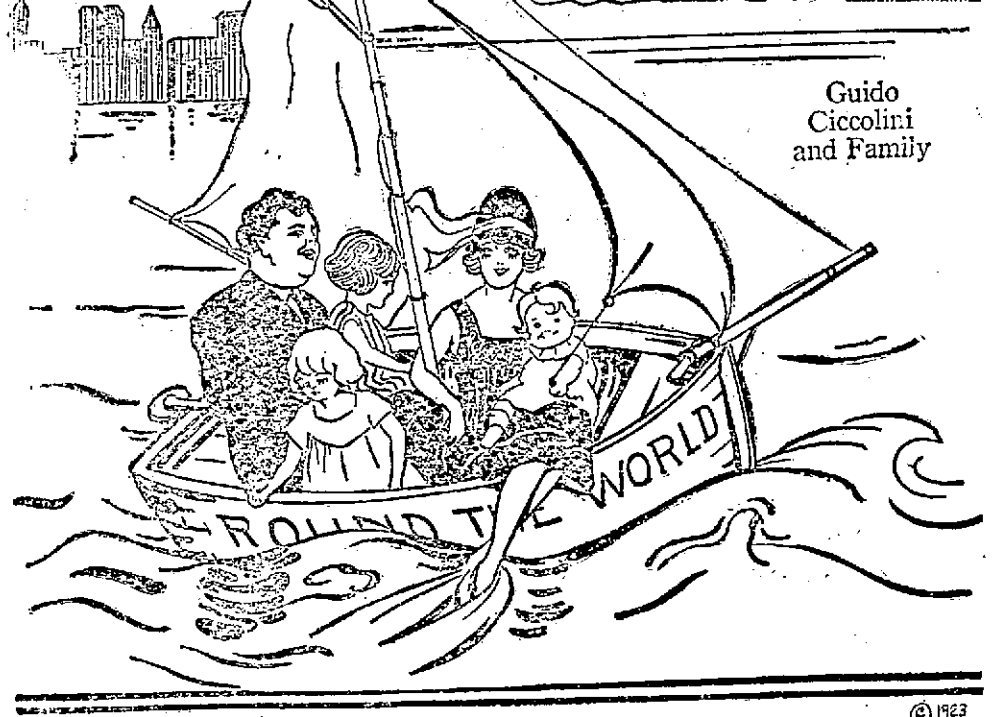
Nathan Leopold, Sr., millionaire head of the Morris Paper Box company; and Albert H. Loeb, multi-millionaire vice-president of Sears Roebuck and company, fathers of the two confessed slayers, engaged Clarence Darrow, Benjamin and Walter Bachrach to prepare their sons' defense.

After several weeks, attorneys and members of the two families decided Nathan and Richard were unfit to mingle in society and decided to make no attempt to set them free. This decision, however, was not made public until July 21 when the attorneys were called before Chief Justice John R. Caverly to enter preliminary motions. Then it was that Darrow sprang his great surprise, changing the boys' pleas from not

'Art For Art's Sake' And 'Love In A Garret' Are Worn Out Themes



Guido Ciccolini and Family



Some-one some-where in the world is sighing for you... Some-one some-where in the world is crying for you.

Guido Ciccolini Says Modern Artist Is Also Practical Business Man

The genius in a garret theme is worn threadbare, declares Guido Ciccolini, famous operatic tenor of the Chicago Opera Company.

Mr. Ciccolini insists that gentlemen never did flourish in attic, anyway, and always found it well-nigh impossible to raise a family there.

"You used to hear artists

speak of 'art for art's sake,' as if it were rather disgraceful to get any material comfort out of life," he points out. "In the old days an artist scorned to be a good business man. He thought it beneath him."

"That is probably why there were so few happy artists. Now it is different. The artist realizes that every hobby or avocation he may have, adds power and beauty to his interpretation of his art."

"One week I may sing in a concert with Galli-Curci and the very next week I may sing in vaudeville. I do not think that this detracts in any way from what I have to give to the world. A

real artist should be glad to have varied audiences. It is what you sing and how you sing it that really counts."

"There are plenty of popular musical compositions, for instance 'Somebody in the World,' that are just as interesting to an audience in a concert hall as to one in a vaudeville theatre."

"Then, too, when I travel I always take my whole family, that is, my wife and two kiddies. Of course, this requires a large expenditure, and as most of my life is spent in traveling, I would rather work harder and have them with me, than hit the trail alone."

The doctor said, gave Loeb a "thrill." His ambition was to commit "the perfect crime."

Leopold, according to Dr. White,

band. He pictured himself in jail, stripped of his clothing and tortured before the public gaze. This torture,

guilty to guilty. In so doing, Darrow admitted the boys were legally sane and his efforts were confined to saving his clients from the gallows, and the insane asylum.

Jury Not Necessary. By the boys' pleas of guilty, a jury was not necessary and upon Judge Caverly alone rested the fate of Leopold and Loeb. He ordered attorneys for the state and defense to present evidence "in aggravation and in mitigation" of the punishment.

State's Attorney Crowe, insisting that the slayers should be hanged for what he termed "Chicago's dirtiest murder," placed more than 90 witnesses on the stand, relating in detail the murder and the confessions that followed.

Darrow, arguing only that Leopold and Loeb should be sent to prison, called a group of noted alienists and psychiatrists to the stand in an attempt to show that the boys—although legally sane—were "mentally irresponsible."

Bitter Legal Battle. Only after a bitter legal battle with State's Attorney Crowe was Darrow allowed to enter this medical testimony "in mitigation of punishment" for the two slayers. In admitting the experts' testimony, Justice Caverly ruled that they would not be permitted to testify relative to the sanity of the defendants but could tell of any "conditions of the mind" which might be considered in mitigation.

Dr. William A. White, of Washington, D. C., was the first of the defense alienists. He told of his examinations of Leopold and Loeb and declared his opinion was that both were mentally diseased.

Dick Loeb it was, according to Dr. White, who contributed the criminalistic tendency to the murder compact. Leopold, he said, was simply the "slave" of Loeb.

In one of the most amazing defenses ever entered for murderers in any court, Dr. White said that Leopold and Loeb were victims of childhood fantasies. Loeb's fantasies, he said, led towards the criminalistic. He imagined himself a great crim-

was far more intellectual than Loeb. His favorite fantasy was that of the "king and slave" in which he, most often was the slave and Loeb the king. He felt Loeb was greatly superior in many ways to himself.

It was the combined result of these fantasies, Dr. White said, which caused the murder of Robert Franks. Loeb suggested the crime; Leopold consented to assist him as a dutiful slave.

Following Dr. White on the witness stand was Dr. William Healy of Boston, who corroborated in detail the testimony and conclusions of the Washington alienist.

Dr. Healy told the court that both Leopold and Loeb in his opinion were victims of psychosis—an unbalanced mind.

Dr. Bernard Glueck, of New York City, was the third defense alienist. He likewise corroborated the testimony of Dr. White and said the boys in his opinion were suffering from "split personalities." He explained this by saying that in both cases their intellect and their emotional powers were at such great disparity that the personality was "diseased or split."

Last Expert Witness.

Dr. Harold S. Hulbert of Chicago, who with Dr. Karl M. Bowman, of Boston conducted the first and most thorough examinations of the two boys, was the last defense expert witness. Following closely the outline of the Hulbert-Bowman report, which had been submitted to the other alienists, Dr. Hulbert went deeply into the physical examination of the defendants.

Dr. Hulbert said he found young Loeb strikingly immature—that he still has three baby teeth, that he has to shave only twice a week, and that his pituitary glands were functioning subnormally.

Leopold, he said, was precociously developed. His glands of internal secretion are over-functioning, his body is too heavily covered with hair, and his feet are flat.

From these facts and many others which he related Dr. Hulbert said he came to the conclusion that both Leopold and Loeb were mentally abnormal.

EXPECT 70,000 TO ENTER CHICAGO NIGHT SCHOOLS

(By International News Service.)

CHICAGO, Sept. 4.—Seventy thousand pupils are expected to enroll in the free evening elementary and high schools of Chicago during the Fall term which starts September 15, it was announced by Morgan G. Hogg, assistant superintendent of the schools. Sixty-two thousand enrolled last year.

POWER SHUT OFF.

The power was shut off in the alley back of The News office for two hours this morning, thus stopping all work in the publishing company and curtailing the news to some extent today.

Rather Reticent.

Miss Paul: "What do you think of that risqué book everybody is talking about?"

Miss Pry: "It's nothing to speak of."

—K. A. B.

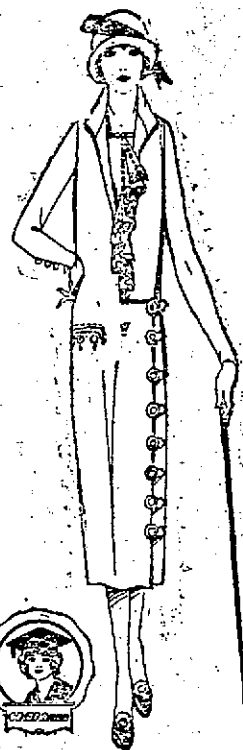
F. C. Easterling was a visitor from Normangee today.

NEW CO-ED DRESSES Just Received

Style 674

Tan Jersey is applied in an interesting pattern on brick Jersey in this tailored frock suitable for school and general wear. A band of Tan Jersey, applied from natural linen collar to hem, is trimmed with brown buttons sewed with henna thread. Tiny tucks extending the lengths of each side of the front band complete this unusually chic model. Colors: Brick, Brown.

Price \$15.50



Style 678

Playing a prominent part in youthful fashions for Fall in this trim one-piece frock of check Poiret Twill piped with white silk braid and finished with a pointed collar of white silk corded material. The applied piece at center-front, the sleeves and generous patch pockets are trimmed with large white ivory buttons. A belt extends across the back only. Colors Navy and White.

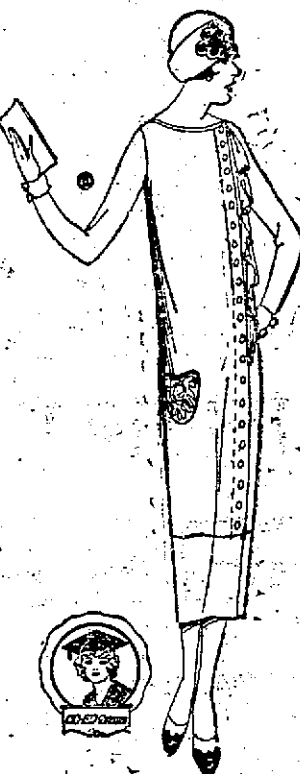
Price \$15.50



Style 810

In this simple frock of Penikees silk Bengaline slashed and closed at the left side from, the tan georgette jabot edged with lace is a smart note. Self-colored silk braid interwoven metal thread fashions the unique pointed pocket. A narrow belt of self material is attached at the side seams and ties in back. Colors: Black.

Price \$22.50



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